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INTRODUCTION

Each year, parliamentary committees undertake numerous studies based on permanent or specific mandates given to them by the House of Commons. For instance, they study bills and may amend them before sending them back to the House of Commons. They are involved in the financial process by examining departmental estimates, reports on plans and priorities (RPPs) and performance reports. They also participate in the review of order in council appointments by calling nominees to appear. Furthermore, committees may initiate their own studies on issues related to the subject area of their mandates. In conducting these studies, committees will hear from witnesses, and, in most cases, will present a report of their findings and recommendations back to the House of Commons. Given the number and scope of their duties it is clear that committees play an essential role in the work of the House of Commons.

The Liaison Committee, composed ex officio of the Chairs of all the standing committees and the House Co-Chairs of standing joint committees, is empowered to deliberate on administrative matters relating to the standing committee system. Its main responsibility is to apportion funds to standing committees from the money allocated for that purpose by the Board of Internal Economy. To this end, a global envelope for committee activities, in the amount of $4 million for the 2017-18 fiscal year, was available to committees for regular operational, study and travel budgets, as well as professional services.

The *Reports on Committee Activities and Expenditures*, which are prepared three times per fiscal year by the Liaison Committee, present cumulative financial information on the committees' expenditures and the work they are doing. When required, they also include information on special committees, funded directly by the Board of Internal Economy. They serve as essential reporting and accountability mechanisms, not only for activities, but also for the use of the resources at the committees' disposal. By summarizing and consolidating statistics regarding the number of meetings, meeting hours, reports and witnesses for each of the committees, these reports, presented in a format intended to help readers better understand the work of committees, provide readers with a concise summary of their mandate, activities and expenditures. Finally, they complement other reports and disclosure tools available to Canadians on the Board of Internal Economy website.

This fiscal year, standing, joint, special and legislative committee expenditures totalled $2.55 million, as committees conducted numerous studies during which they heard 4,847 witnesses during 1,240 meetings and presented 196 reports to the House. In addition, the Liaison Committee gave its approval in May 2017 to an initiative to enhance committees' social media presence. Twitter accounts dedicated to committees, one in each official language, were created and have each sent out more than 1,500 tweets. The two accounts now have more than 4,000 subscribers.

We hope this report, which covers the period from April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018, will provide helpful and concise information on the activities of committees, thus giving a better sense of their important work on behalf of Canadians.

For further information, please contact the Liaison Committee at LIAI@parl.gc.ca.

STANDING COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ACCESS TO INFORMATION, PRIVACY AND ETHICS (ETHI)

MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics studies matters related to the Office of the Information Commissioner of Canada, the Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada and the Office of the Commissioner of Lobbying of Canada, and certain issues related to the Office of the Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued and completed its review of the *Security of Canada Information Sharing Act* (SCISA). A report, the Committee's fifth, was presented to the House on May 1. A government response was tabled in the House on June 20. The Committee considered the votes of the *Main Estimates 2017-18* that were referred to it by the House. It dedicated two meetings to hearing from four of the commissioners concerned before presenting a report, on May 10, recommending that the proposed votes be adopted. The Committee also continued its study of the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act* (PIPEDA). Moreover, the Committee held a briefing session with the Financial Transactions and Reports Analysis Centre of Canada and commenced a study of the *Privacy of Canadians at Airports, Borders and Travelling in the United States*. Lastly, due to a change in Committee membership, Karine Trudel was elected Vice-Chair on May 9. The position became vacant when the committee membership was again modified on June 1.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee resumed its study of the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act* (PIPEDA). On September 20, Bob Zimmer was elected Committee Chair, and Nathan Cullen was elected Second Vice-Chair. The Committee studied Bill C-58, *An Act to amend the Access to Information Act and the Privacy Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts*, and reported it to the House with amendments on November 20. The Committee also examined the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*, and reported the votes back to the House on November 30. The Committee considered the certificate of nomination of Nancy Bélanger to the position of Commissioner of Lobbying and the certificate of nomination of Mario Dion to the position of Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner, and recommended in its reports tabled December 7 and December 13 that the House approve the nominations. The Committee also held a briefing session with Equifax Canada and started the study *Net Neutrality*. Lastly, the Committee concluded its study on *Privacy of Canadians at Airports, Borders and Travelling in the United States*, and presented a report to the House, the Committee's 10th, on December 13.

Between January 1 and March 31, 2018, the Committee first studied the subject matter of the *Trudeau Report* of the Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner. On January 30, following a change in the membership of the Committee, Charlie Angus was elected Second Vice-Chair. The Committee also completed its study of the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act* (PIPEDA) and reported its findings to the House on February 28. The Committee heard witnesses and started to consider a report as part of its study on *Net Neutrality*. The Committee also initiated a *Review of the Conflict of Interest Act* and the study *Privacy of Digital Government Services*. Finally, the Committee considered the certificate of nomination of Caroline Maynard to the position of Information Commissioner and recommended that the House approve the nomination by presenting its 13th report on February 28.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Bob Zimmer

Vice-Chairs Nathaniel Erskine-Smith
Charlie Angus

Members

Frank Baylis	Michel Picard
Mona Fortier	Raj Saini
Jacques Gourde	Anita Vandenbeld
Hon. Peter Kent	

Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member) Joyce Murray

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	882	-	1,675	2,557
Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA)	6,700	694	989	8,383
Privacy of Canadians at Airports, Borders and Travelling in the United States	1,140	450	260	1,850
Bill C-58	-	500	348	848
Privacy of Digital Government Services	-	1,913	131	2,043
TOTAL[3]	**8,722**	**3,557**	**3,403**	**15,681**

[1] *Studies for which expenses were made are listed in chronological order.*
[2] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*
[3] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
[4] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA) – Washington, D.C., United States of America October 2 to 4, 2017	4	2	8,712	12,099	2,108	631	23,549
TOTAL[1]	**4**	**2**	**8,712**	**12,099**	**2,108**	**631**	**23,549**

[1] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
[2] *"Other" (travel) includes expenditures such as audio-visual equipment, meeting rooms, excess baggage fees, passport and visa processing, conference fees and other minor miscellaneous expenses.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (ETHI)	45	12	10	-	66h07m	129	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SETH)[4]	1	-	-	-	0h32m	-	-
TOTAL	**46**	**12**	**10**	**-**	**66h39m**	**129**	**9**

[1] *Number of televised meetings.*
[2] *Number of meetings using videoconferencing.*
[3] *Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.*
[4] *Subcommittees are not empowered to report to the House. They only present reports to the relevant standing committees.*

MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Agri-Food studies bills, government activities and expenditures, and issues related to Canada's agriculture and agri-food industry.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee finished its study of *Amendments to Health of Animals Regulations (Humane Transportation)* and undertook a study on *Debt in the Agriculture Sector and its Effects*, culminating in the Seventh Report of the Committee, which was presented to the House on June 19. From May 17 to 19, the Committee travelled to Washington, D.C., as part of its study on *Canada–United States Cooperation in Agriculture* and made it the subject of its Sixth Report presented to the House on June 12. It also studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18* hearing from the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food and departmental officials on May 16. It also held two briefing sessions, the first with the Auditor General of Canada in relation to the Spring Reports of 2017, more precisely on customs duties, and the second on the porcine epidemic diarrhea (PED) situation in Canada. In addition, the Committee heard from witnesses on its study on *Non-Tariff Trade Barriers to the Sale of Agricultural Products* and undertook the study of *Food Policy for Canada*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee completed its study of *Non-Tariff Trade Barriers to the Sale of Agricultural Products* and presented its Eighth Report to the House on November 6. The Committee held seven hearings regarding its study on *Food Policy for Canada*. A report was presented to the House, the Committee's 10th, on December 11. It also undertook a new study on *Climate Change and Water and Soil Conservation Issues*, and held four hearings on the subject. The meeting of November 30, attended by the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-food and departmental officials, was spent considering the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*. Lastly, Luc Berthold was elected Committee Vice-Chair on September 19, 2017, replacing Bev Shipley.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee held six additional meetings regarding its study of *Climate Change and Water and Soil Conservation Issues* to hear a total of 38 witnesses and to consider a draft report. On January 31, Alistair MacGregor was elected Second Vice-Chair of the Committee, replacing Ruth Ellen Brosseau. The Committee met on March 7, at the request of four members and pursuant to Standing Order 106(4), and agreed to conduct a study of *Grain Transportation Backlog*. Finally, on March 21, the Committee undertook two new studies: *Role of Food Inspection Agencies in the Context of Free Trade Agreements* and *Advancements of Technology and Research in the Agriculture Industry that can Support Canadian Exports*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Pat Finnigan	
Vice-Chairs	Luc Berthold	
	Alistair MacGregor	
Members	John Barlow	Lloyd Longfield
	Pierre Breton	Eva Nassif
	Earl Dreeshen	Joe Peschisolido
	Francis Drouin	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Jean-Claude Poissant	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	2,514	2,514
Non-Tariff Trade Barriers to the Sale of Agricultural Products	2,897	-	269	3,167
Debt in the Agriculture Sector and its Effects	6,842	-	816	7,658
Amendments to Health of Animals Regulations (Humane Transportation)	4,983	350	412	5,745
Briefing on the Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea (PED) Situation in Canada	5,136	600	222	5,958
Food Policy for Canada	6,942	1,431	548	8,921
Climate Change and Water and Soil Conservation Issues	14,442	888	616	15,945
Grain Transportation Backlog	4,056	575	402	5,033
Role of Food Inspection Agencies in the Context of Free Trade Agreements	-	973	43	1,016
TOTAL[3]	**45,298**	**4,817**	**5,842**	**55,957**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Canada–United States Cooperation in Agriculture – Washington, D.C., United States of America May 17 to 19, 2017	6	6	11,284	13,365	3,363	2,084	30,097
TOTAL[1]	**6**	**6**	**11,284**	**13,365**	**3,363**	**2,084**	**30,097**

[1] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (AGRI)	44	3	9	-	76h15m	190	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAGR)[4]	3	-	-	-	2h19m	-	-
TOTAL	**47**	**3**	**9**	**-**	**78h34m**	**190**	**5**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Canadian Heritage studies the policies and programs of the Department of Canadian Heritage and the organizations within the portfolio. These organizations are active in the fields of culture, heritage and human rights.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee met 18 times. It considered the *Main Estimates 2017-18* and reported the same to the House in its Fifth Report. It completed its study *The Media and Local Communities*, having heard 131 witnesses and considered 13 briefs (over the previous 16 months) before presenting its Sixth Report on June 15. The Committee agreed to undertake three new studies: *Indigenous Participation in Sport*; *Systemic Racism and Religious Discrimination*; and *Cultural Hubs and Cultural Districts in Canada*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of *Systemic Racism and Religious Discrimination* which included hearing from 78 witnesses before beginning consideration of a draft report. On September 20, the Hon. Peter Van Loan was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee. On September 27, it presented to the House its Seventh Report entitled *Women and Girls in Sport*. On November 2, the Committee received a briefing from the Hon. Mélanie Joly, Minister of Canadian Heritage, on the government's new cultural policy. The Committee also completed a study of Bill S-232, *An Act respecting Canadian Jewish Heritage Month*, as well as a study of Bill S-236, *An Act to recognize Charlottetown as the birthplace of Confederation*. The Committee reported both bills back to the House without amendment on November 29, 2017.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee concluded its study of *Systemic Racism and Religious Discrimination*. On February 1, 2018, the Chair presented the Tenth Report entitled *Taking Action Against Systemic Racism and Religious Discrimination Including Islamophobia*. On February 6, Julie Dabrusin was elected as Chair of the Committee. The Committee continued its study of *The State of Canadian Museums* and began its study of *Cultural Hubs and Cultural Districts in Canada*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Julie Dabrusin	
Vice-Chairs	Hon. Peter Van Loan	
	Pierre Nantel	
Members	Pierre Breton	Richard Hébert
	Anju Dhillon	Gordie Hogg
	Julie Dzerowicz	Martin Shields
	Jim Eglinski	
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Sean Casey	Arif Virani
	Stéphane Lauzon	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	1,563	250	1,192	3,005
The Media and Local Communities	-	-	4,290	4,290
Canadian Women and Girls in Sport	-	-	142	142
Main Estimates 2017-18	-	-	173	173
Systemic Racism and Religious Discrimination	40,270	1,201	4,402	45,873
The State of Canadian Museums	3,870	3,368	295	7,533
TOTAL[3]	**45,703**	**4,819**	**10,494**	**61,016**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (CHPC)	49	4	7	-	84h16m	127	6
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCHP)[4]	3	-	-	-	1h59m	-	-
TOTAL	**52**	**4**	**7**	**-**	**86h15m**	**127**	**6**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Citizenship and Immigration studies matters related to immigration and citizenship. It has oversight of Citizenship and Immigration Canada and the Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, and monitors federal multiculturalism policy.

Between April 1 and August 31, 2017, the Committee held 14 meetings. It continued its study of *Immigration Consultants* and presented the 11th Report on the same on June 16. The Committee also undertook a study of the *2011 LGBTQ Refugee Pilot Project*, holding four meetings and hearing from 14 witnesses. The 12th Report of the Committee, entitled *LGBTQ+ At Risk Abroad: Canada's Call to Action*, was presented on June 20. Finally, the Committee also began consideration of motion M-39, *Immigration to Atlantic Canada*, following an order of reference received from the House on November 2, 2016.

Between September 1 and December 31, 2017, the Committee held 24 meetings. On September 21, elections for the positions of both Chair and First Vice-Chair were conducted; Robert Oliphant was elected Chair and the Hon. Michelle Rempel was elected First Vice-Chair (*in absentia*). The Committee continued its study of motion M-39, *Immigration to Atlantic Canada* and, on October 26, the Committee presented its 13th Report, which sought to extend the reporting deadline contained in its order of reference; concurrence was granted by the House on the same day. Further to this, the Committee presented its 14th Report on November 9 entitled *Immigration to Atlantic Canada: Moving to the Future*. The Committee also undertook a study of *Medical Inadmissibility of Immigrants*, holding four meetings and hearing from 25 witnesses, and presenting its 15th Report on December 13, entitled *Building an Inclusive Canada: Bringing the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act in line with Modern Values*. The Committee also began a study of the *Resettlement Issues Related to Yazidi Women and Girls*.

Between January 1 and March 31, 2018, the Committee held 11 meetings. It continued its study of *Resettlement Issues Related to Yazidi Women and Girls* and, on March 29 , presented its 18th Report entitled *Road to Recovery: Resettlement Issues of Yazidi Women and Children in Canada*. The Committee considered the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* and *Interim Estimates 2018-19*. Furthermore, the Committee began a study of the *Immigration and Refugee Board's Appointment, Training and Complaint Processes*, hearing from 16 witnesses.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Robert Oliphant	
Vice-Chairs	Hon. Michelle Rempel Jenny Kwan	
Members	Leona Alleslev Gary Anandasangaree Larry Maguire Randeep Sarai	Marwan Tabbara David Tilson Nick Whalen
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Serge Cormier	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	100	-	3,134	3,234
2011 LGBTQ Refugee Pilot Project	3,941	572	576	5,088
Immigration Consultants	18,374	2,793	1,130	22,296
M-39, Immigration to Atlantic Canada	17,607	4,102	1,526	23,235
Medical Inadmissibility of Immigrants	6,487	350	1,504	8,341
Resettling Yazidi Girls and Women	10,527	2,037	1,186	13,749
Immigration and Refugee Board's Appointment, Training and Complaint Processes	2,220	3,075	859	6,153
TOTAL[3]	**59,256**	**12,929**	**9,915**	**82,096**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (CIMM)	49	23	18	1	91h07m	227	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCIM)[4]	2	-	-	-	1h18m	-	-
TOTAL	**51**	**23**	**18**	**1**	**92h25m**	**227**	**8**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Environment and Sustainable Development studies the programs and legislation of Environment Canada, Parks Canada and the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency as well as reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development.

During the period of April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued its consideration of a draft report on its study of *A Review of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999*. The Chair presented the report to the House on June 15, 2017. The Committee began consideration of Bill C-323, *An Act to amend the Income Tax Act (rehabilitation of historic property)*. The Committee also held meetings to consider the *Main Estimates 2017-18* and *Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18*. The Committee also held a follow-up meeting with several departments to discuss progress that had been made with regard to issues raised in the *Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development—Spring 2016*.

During the period of September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee commenced a study on heritage preservation and protection in Canada. This study included seven meetings with 27 witnesses. The Committee tabled a report for this study on December 4. The Committee also continued its study of Bill C-323, *An Act to amend the Income Tax Act (rehabilitation of historic property)*, hearing from nine witnesses. The Committee reported back to the House in relation to this bill on November 30. The Committee also commenced its study of Bill C-57, *An Act to amend the Federal Sustainable Development Act*. The Committee reported this bill back to the House, with amendments, on December 13. The Committee also held a briefing with department officials and the Commissioner, in relation to the *Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development – Fall 2017*, on October 31. On December 12, it held a briefing on the *Pan-Canadian Framework on Clean Growth and Climate Change*. Finally, the Committee elected the Hon. Ed Fast as First Vice-Chair on September 19.

During the period of January 1 to March 31, the Committee commenced a study on *Clean Growth and Climate Change in Canada*, with a specific emphasis on the built environment. The Committee held five meetings, and heard from 19 witnesses in light of this study. Tied to this study, the Committee also travelled to Calgary, Alberta, on March 12 and 13, to meet with stakeholders, and attended the GLOBE Forum in Vancouver, British Columbia, from March 14 to 16. In addition, the Committee studied Bill C-374, *An Act to amend the Historic Sites and Monuments Act (composition of the Board)* and reported the bill back to the House with amendments on March 2. The Committee also studied the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18*, and the *Interim Estimates 2018-19*, reporting these back to the House on March 2 as well. The Committee commenced its study of Bill C-69, *An Act to enact the Impact Assessment Act and the Canadian Energy Regulator Act, to amend the Navigation Protection Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts*, hearing from the Minister of Environment and Climate Change and the Minister of Natural Resources on March 22, and subsequently from the Minister of Transport on March 28. Finally, the Committee met with the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development on March 27, to discuss the Collaborative Climate Change Report, tabled earlier that day.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Deborah Schulte	
Vice-Chairs	Hon. Ed Fast	
	Linda Duncan	
Members	John Aldag	Joël Godin
	William Amos	Churence Rogers
	Mike Bossio	Robert Sopuck
	Darren Fisher	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Jonathan Wilkinson	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	3,675	3,675
Review of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999	-	613	1,241	1,854
Federal Protected Areas and Conservation Objectives	-	-	968	968
Heritage Preservation and Protection in Canada	7,602	1,046	558	9,206
Clean Growth and Climate Change in Canada: Built Environment	7,746	-	959	8,705
TOTAL[3]	**15,348**	**1,659**	**7,401**	**24,408**

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[4] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Canada–U.S. Environment Partnerships and Transborder-Related Issues – Washington, D.C., United States of America Cancelled[1]	-	-	7,215	6,479	-	-	13,694
Clean Growth and Climate Change in Canada - Halifax, Nova Scotia; Calgary, Alberta; Vancouver, British Columbia March 11 to 16, 2018	7	3	14,019	11,159	4,285	12,351	41,814
TOTAL[2]	**7**	**3**	**21,234**	**17,638**	**4,285**	**12,351**	**55,508**

[1] *Expenses accounted for cancelled travels do not take into consideration amounts available as credits for futures trips.*
[2] *"Other" (travel) includes expenditures such as audio-visual equipment, meeting rooms, excess baggage fees, passport and visa processing, conference fees and other minor miscellaneous expenses.*
[3] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (ENVI)	49	7	3	-	91h06m	154	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SENV)[4]	7	-	-	-	5h28m	-	-
TOTAL	**56**	**7**	**3**	**0**	**96h34m**	**154**	**9**

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MANDATE

The mandate of the Standing Committee on Finance is to study and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management and operation of selected federal departments and agencies, including the Department of Finance and the Canada Revenue Agency, and to conduct pre-budget consultations.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee held 27 meetings. In April, the Committee completed its study of the *Canadian Real Estate Market and Home Ownership* and presented its 15th Report to the House on April 13. The Committee also heard from each of the three territorial premiers during its study of *Economic Growth in the Territories*. The Committee then held a meeting where they heard from the Minister of Finance on the *Main Estimates 2017-18* and to offer a briefing on *Budget 2017*. The Committee also heard from the Minister of National Revenue on the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, and reported the votes referred to it back to the House on May 11. The Governor of the Bank of Canada appeared before the Committee during a meeting on the *Report of the Bank of Canada on Monetary Policy*. In May, the Committee heard from the Parliamentary Budget Officer on his *Economic and Fiscal Outlook*. The Committee then held 10 meetings to consider Bill C-44, *An Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on March 22, 2017, and other measures*, and reported the bill back to the House with amendments on May 31. In June, the Committee held three meetings on the study of *Consumer Protection and Oversight in Relation to Schedule I Banks*.

The Committee held 28 meetings from September 1 to December 31, 2017. On September 19, the Hon. Pierre Poilievre was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee. The Committee heard from more than 300 witnesses and received more than 400 written briefs on its study of *Pre-Budget Consultations in Advance of the 2018 Budget*. Between September 19 and October 20, the Committee held meetings in Ottawa, Saskatoon, Vancouver, Yellowknife, Calgary, St. John's, Halifax, Montréal, Windsor, and Toronto on this study. Periods of time were dedicated to audience remarks at the beginning and end of each meeting held outside Ottawa. During this time, the Committee also held two meetings on the study of *Tax Planning Using Private Corporations*. The written briefs received for this study were also shared with the Department of Finance. On October 31, the Committee heard from the Governor of the Bank of Canada on the *Report of the Bank of Canada on Monetary Policy*, as well as the Parliamentary Budget Officer on the *Economic and Fiscal Outlook*. In November, the Committee considered Bill C-63, *A second Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on March 22, 2017, and other measures*, and reported the bill back to the House without amendment on November 22. The Committee also heard from the Minister of Finance and the Minister of National Revenue, as well as their respective officials, on the votes from the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18* which had been referred from the House. It reported them back to the House on November 27. The Committee then travelled to Washington, D.C., and New York, New York, to meet with various stakeholders and Members of Congress to complete its study of the Pre-Budget Consultations. The Committee's 21st report, entitled *Driving Inclusive Growth: Spurring Productivity and Competitiveness in Canada*, was presented to the House on December 8.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee began the *Statutory Review of the Proceeds of Crime and Terrorist Financing Act*, pursuant to the order of reference from the House of January 29, 2018. Furthermore, the Committee studied the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* and dedicated one meeting to the study of the *Third Report of the Advisory Council on Economic Growth*. On February 12, Peter Julian was elected Second Vice-Chair. On March 26, the Minister of Finance and departmental officials appeared before the Committee on the *Subject Matter of Interim Estimates 2018-19* and for a briefing on *Budget 2018*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Wayne Easter

Vice-Chairs Hon. Pierre Poilievre
Peter Julian

Members

Dan Albas	Michael V. McLeod
Greg Fergus	Jennifer O'Connell
Raj Grewal	Francesco Sorbara
Tom Kmiec	

Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members) Kamal Khera
Joël Lightbound

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	4,703	4,703
Canadian Real Estate Market and Home Ownership	2,752	-	258	3,010
Pre-Budget Consultations in Advance of the 2018 Budget	23,836	-	1,204	25,040
Consumer Protection and Oversight in Relation to Schedule I Banks	2,631	-	488	3,119
Bill C-44	14,667	-	2,883	17,550
Tax Planning Using Private Corporations: Contributions to the Department of Finance's Consultations	8,934	650	1,022	10,606
Subject Matter of Bill C-63	6,423	-	1,241	7,664
Statutory Review of the Proceeds of Crime and Terrorist Financing Act	2,596	-	748	3,344
TOTAL[3]	**61,839**	**650**	**12,547**	**75,036**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS[1]	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Pre-Budget Consultations in Advance of the 2018 Budget – Vancouver, British Columbia; Yellowknife, Northwest Territories; Calgary, Alberta; Saskatoon, Saskatchewan October 2 to 6, 2017	7	9	40,426	10,733	5,392	24,056	80,606
Pre-Budget Consultations in Advance of the 2018 Budget – St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador; Halifax, Nova-Scotia; Montréal, Quebec; and Windsor and Toronto, Ontario October 15 to 20, 2017	7	8	37,225	10,865	5,765	25,515	79,370
Pre-Budget Consultations in Advance of the 2018 Budget – Washington, D.C.; New York, New York United States of America November 29 to December 1, 2017	6	6	18,822	10,327	3,819	2,758	35,727
TOTAL[3]	**20**	**23**	**96,473**	**31,925**	**14,976**	**52,329**	**195,703**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (FINA)	67	47	4	-	171h07m	663	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFIN)[4]	5	-	-	-	3h34m	0	-
TOTAL	**72**	**47**	**4**	**-**	**174h41m**	**663**	**8**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Fisheries and Oceans studies and reports on matters related to the federal role in the management of Canada's fisheries and the safeguarding of its waters.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee commenced its study of *The Ocean Act's Marine Protected Areas*, which included 12 public hearings in Ottawa, with a total of 46 witnesses. In relation to this study, between May 28 and June 1, the Committee travelled to Inuvik, Paulatuk, and Tuktoyaktuk, Northwest Territories, as well as Prince Rupert, British Columbia, to conduct site visits. On April 6, the Committee dedicated a second meeting to the *Briefing on Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development — Fall 2016*. The Committee also held meetings with officials from the Department of Fisheries, Oceans, and the Canadian Coast Guard, in relation to the Cohen Commission of Inquiry, on May 4, and to its study of the *Subject Matter of Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18*, on June 15. On June 8, the Committee met at the request of four Members to discuss the suggestion to review the issues surrounding closures to the Canadian Coast Guard stations in Gimli and Selkirk, Manitoba, and Kenora, Ontario, and cuts made to the Search and Rescue Dive Program in British Columbia and cuts to the Salmonid Enhancement Program.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of *The Oceans Act's Marine Protected Areas*. In relation to this study, from October 16 to October 20, the Committee travelled to Halifax, Dartmouth, Sydney and Chéticamp, Nova Scotia, Gaspé, Quebec, and Shippagan and Bathurst, New Brunswick, to conduct site visits. The Committee studied Bill C-55, *An Act to amend the Oceans Act and the Canada Petroleum Resources Act* and reported it back to the House on December 11, with amendments. On October 31, the Committee held a briefing on the *Detailed Action Plan of Freshwater Fish Marketing Corporation*. On November 7, the Committee considered the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*. Finally, on September 19, Todd Doherty was elected First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study on *The Oceans Act's Marine Protected Areas*, which began in April 2017. The Committee devoted 20 meetings to this study and heard a total of 70 witnesses. In addition, the Committee began considering a draft report for this study. On February 13, the Committee held a briefing on *Report 2 of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development – Fall 2017*. The Committee also began the study *Atlantic Canada Commercial Vessel Length and Licensing Policies*. On March 20, the Committee considered the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017–18*, as well as the *Subject Matter of the Interim Estimates 2018–19*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Scott Simms	
Vice-Chairs	Todd Doherty	
	Fin Donnelly	
Members	Mel Arnold	Ken McDonald
	Pat Finnigan	Larry Miller
	Ken Hardie	Robert J. Morrissey
	Bernadette Jordan	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Terry Beech	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	408	408
The Oceans Act's Marine Protected Areas	20,500	7,154	1,074	28,728
Bill C-55	2,656	2,777	344	5,776
TOTAL[3]	**23,156**	**9,931**	**1,826**	**34,913**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME[1] DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
The Oceans Act's Marine Protected Areas – Vancouver, Masset, Queen Charlotte, Sandspit and Prince Rupert, British Columbia; Inuvik, Paulatuk and Tuktoyaktuk, Northwest Territories May 28 to June 2, 2017	7	3	69,618	7,733	4,256	3,586	85,195
The Oceans Act's Marine Protected Areas – Halifax, Sydney, Cheticamp and Dartmouth, Nova Scotia; Gaspé, Quebec; Bathurst and Shippagan, New Brunswick October 16 to 20, 2017	7	7	45,006	7,793	4,614	4,199	61,612
TOTAL[3]	**14**	**10**	**114,624**	**15,526**	**8,870**	**7,785**	**146,807**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (FOPO)	39	2	18	-	72h20m	162	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFOP)[4]	1	-	-	-	1h02m	-	-
TOTAL	**40**	**2**	**18**	**-**	**73h22m**	**162**	**2**

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MANDATE (FAAE)

The Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and International Development studies matters related to international affairs, including Canada's foreign policy and development assistance. The government department under the Committee's scrutiny is the Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee completed its report on its study on the *Statutory Review of the Freezing Assets of Corrupt Foreign Officials Act and the Special Economic Measures Act* and presented the report to the House on April 6. It heard from further witnesses concerning its study on the *Situation in Eastern Europe and Central Asia, 25 Years After the End of the Cold War*, and began hearing from witnesses concerning its studies on *United States and Canadian Foreign Policy* and *Canada's Development Financing Initiative*. On May 2, the Committee heard from the Hon. Stéphane Dion and the Hon. John McCallum, separately, on their Order in Council appointments and on May 10, reported to the House on said appointments. On May 9, the Committee received a briefing from the Vice-Speaker of the Ukrainian Parliament, H.E. Oksana Syroyid. On May 11, it received separate briefings from the Library of Parliament and the Office of the Parliamentary Budget Officer on studying the Main Estimates and from Justin Forsyth, Deputy Executive Director of UNICEF and UN Assistant Secretary-General. On June 22, the Committee studied Bill S-226, *An Act to provide for the taking of restrictive measures in respect of foreign nationals responsible for gross violations of internationally recognized human rights and to make related amendments to the Special Economic Measures Act and the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* and reported it back to the House with amendments, by depositing it with the Clerk of the House on June 22.

Between April 1 and August 31, 2017, the Subcommittee on International Human Rights heard witnesses on its studies of the *Human Rights Situation in South Sudan* and of *Human Trafficking in South Asia*. It received a briefing on April 4 from the Burma Task Force of Canada. On April 6 and May 16, the Subcommittee received a briefing on the human rights situation in Venezuela and received an additional briefing on May 2 concerning the human rights situation in the Dabaad refugee camp in Kenya. During the week of May 8 to 12, the Subcommittee hosted its annual Iran Accountability Week and heard from witnesses on the human rights situation in Iran. On May 15, the Subcommittee issued a joint statement in the form of a news release regarding Iran Accountability Week 2017. The Subcommittee also produced two reports on its studies on the *Situation of Yezidis, Christians and Other Religious and Ethnic Minorities in Syria and Iraq* (presented on April 10) and the *Human Rights Situation in South Sudan* (presented on June 14).

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee completed its study on the *Situation in Eastern Europe and Central Asia 25 Years After the End of the Cold War* and presented the report to the House on Wednesday, November 22. The Committee heard from the Hon. Marie-Claude Bibeau, Minister of International Development and La Francophonie on September 28, in relation to its study of Canada's *Development Financing Initiative*. It began hearing witnesses concerning its study of the *Provision of Assistance to Canadians in Difficulty Abroad (Consular Affairs)*, and received a briefing on its study of *United States and Canadian Foreign Policy*. From October 22 until October 27, the Committee travelled to Mexico City, Mexico, New York, New York, and Washington, D.C., in relation to its study of *United States and Canadian Foreign Policy*. From November 26 to December 6, it travelled to Beijing and Hong Kong, China, Hanoi, Vietnam, and Jakarta, Indonesia, in relation to its study of *Canada's Engagement in Asia*. The Committee hosted Ojars Ericks Kalniņš, Chairman, Foreign Affairs Committee of the 12th Saeima (Latvian Parliament), on October 31, 2017. During October and November the Committee held four meetings to study Bill C-47, *An Act to amend the Export and Import Permits Act and the Criminal Code (amendments permitting the accession to the Arms Trade Treaty and other amendments)*. It was still under consideration by the Committee at the end of December. On Tuesday, November 21, the Committee received a briefing from H.E. Hashim Thaçi, President of the Republic of Kosovo. Finally, on September 21, the Hon. Erin O'Toole was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

The Sub-Committee on International Human Rights held 22 meetings between September 1 and December 31, 2017. The Sub-Committee examined the matters of human rights situation of the Rohingya, natural resource extraction within Latin America, human rights defenders in Mexico, human trafficking in South Asia, human rights situation in Somalia, and child labour and modern slavery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FAAE) (CONT'D)

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee held 10 meetings. The Chair presented the Committee's 14th Report on *United States and Canadian Foreign Policy* and 15th Report on *Human Trafficking in South Asia* in the House on January 30 and February 15, respectively. On March 1, the Committee completed clause-by-clause consideration of Bill C-47, *An Act to amend the Export and Import Permits Act and the Criminal Code (amendments permitting the accession to the Arms Trade Treaty and other amendments)*. The bill was reported back to the House, with amendments, on March 20. The Committee also completed its study of *Canada's Development Finance Initiative*, which began on May 16, 2017, holding three additional meetings and presenting the final report in the House on March 20. The Committee had two briefing sessions, firstly from the Hon. Chrystia Freeland regarding Canada's foreign policy priorities on February 8 and secondly from the Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria on March 20. Finally, the Committee continued its study of *Provision of Assistance to Canadians in Difficulty Abroad (Consular Affairs)*, which began on October 5, 2017, holding an additional six meetings.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Subcommittee on International Human Rights continued its study of *Canada's Global Engagement on Human Rights Issues, Particularly Through the United Nations (UN) and its Agencies* and held a briefing on January 30 before travelling to New York, New York, from February 6 to 8. On February 15 the Subcommittee issued a press release for its report on its study of *Human Trafficking in South Asia* which was presented that day. The Subcommittee heard witnesses on the human rights situation in Syria on March 1 and March 29. The week of March 26, the Subcommittee finished consideration of its draft report on *Human Rights Surrounding Natural Resource Extraction in Latin America* and commenced a study on the *Human Rights situation in Cambodia*.

MEMBERSHIP FAAE (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. Robert D. Nault	
Vice-Chairs	Hon. Erin O'Toole	
	Hélène Laverdière	
Members	Ziad Aboultaif	Jati Sidhu
	Garnett Genuis	Anita Vandenbeld
	Michael Levitt	Borys Wrzesnewskyj
	Raj Saini	
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Omar Alghabra	Matt DeCourcey
	Celina Caesar-Chavannes	Hon. Andrew Leslie

MEMBERSHIP SDIR (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Michael Levitt	
Vice-Chairs	David Sweet	
	Cheryl Hardcastle	
Members	David Anderson	Iqra Khalid
	Peter Fragiskatos	Marwan Tabbara

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
FAAE - Operational Budget[4]	71	-	9,266	9,337
FAAE - Current Human Rights Situation of the Rohingya in Myanmar	1,397	-	-	1,397
FAAE - Statutory Review of the Freezing Assets of Corrupt Foreign Officials Act and the Special Economic Measures Act	-	-	169	169
FAAE - Situation in Eastern Europe and Central Asia 25 Years after the End of the Cold War	-	-	1,149	1,149
FAAE - United States and Canadian Foreign Policy	1,361	850	1,110	3,321
FAAE - Canada's Development Finance Initiative	-	1,279	495	1,774
FAAE - Provision of Assistance to Canadians in Difficulty Abroad	120	942	986	2,048
FAAE - Bill C-47	-	1,013	836	1,849
FAAE - Canada's Engagement in Asia	-	-	1,004	1,004
SDIR - Operational Budget[4]	387	196	5,068	5,651
SDIR - Briefing on the Human Rights Situation in Iran	198	250	225	673
SDIR - Human Rights Situation in South Sudan	-	524	-	524
SDIR - Human Trafficking in South Asia	1,364	894	720	2,978
SDIR - Briefing on the Human Rights Situation of the Rohingya	1,449	188	225	1,861
SDIR - Human Rights Surrounding Natural Resource Extraction within Latin America	2,374	407	593	3374
SDIR - Human Rights Situation in Somalia	495	770	392	1,657
SDIR - Child Labour and Modern Slavery	254	2,501	625	3,380
SDIR-Briefing on the Human Rights Situation in Syria	61	250	239	550
TOTAL[3]	**9,531**	**10,064**	**23,102**	**42,695**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME[1] DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
FAAE – Canada's Engagement in Asia – Beijing, Jingzhuang and Hong Kong, China; Jakarta, Indonesia; Hanoi, Vietnam November 25 to December 6, 2017	7	3	91,415	28,155	10,836	22,788	153,194
FAAE – United States and Canadian Foreign Policy – Mexico City, Mexico; Washington, D.C., and New York, New York, United States of America October 22 to 27, 2017	7	3	26,785	26,099	6,362	6,283	65,528
SDIR - Canada's Global Engagement on Human Rights Issues, Particularly Through the United Nations (UN) and its Agencies - New York, New York, United States of America February 6 to 8, 2018	5	2	12,370	3,356	1,806	238	17,769
TOTAL[3]	**19**	**8**	**130,570**	**57,610**	**19,004**	**29,309**	**236,491**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (FAAE)	38	10	10	-	67h27m	107	11
Subcommittee on International Human Rights (SDIR)[4]	49	5	16	1	43h17m	96	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFAA)[4]	7	-	-	-	5h08m	-	-
TOTAL	**94**	**15**	**26**	**1**	**115h52m**	**203**	**11**

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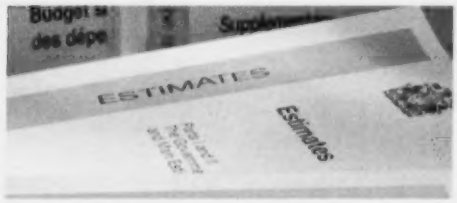

MANDATE

The mandate of the Standing Committee on Government Operations and Estimates studies the effectiveness and proper functioning of government operations, on the estimates process as well as on the expenditure plans of central departments and agencies.

During the period from April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee completed its *Review of the Public Servants Disclosure Protection Act* and presented to the House its Ninth Report entitled *Strengthening the Protection of the Public Interest within the Public Servants Disclosure Protection Act* on June 16. During the course of the study, the Committee heard from 52 witnesses over 12 meetings. On April 11, the Committee considered the *Certificate of Nomination of Patrick Borbey to the Position of President of the Public Service Commission* and, on April 13, presented its Sixth Report to the House, on the said appointment. On May 2, the Committee dedicated a second meeting to the *Briefing on the Use of National Security Exceptions*. The Committee studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18,* the *Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18,* as well as several *Reports on Plans and Priorities 2017-18*: Privy Council Office; Canada School of Public Service; Office of the Public Sector Integrity Commissioner of Canada; Shared Services Canada; Public Services and Procurement Canada; Treasury Board Secretariat of Canada; and Public Service Commission of Canada. On May 16, the Committee studied the *Subject Matter of Clauses 113 to 114 of Bill C-44, An Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on March 22, 2017, and other measures*. On June 15, the Committee began a study of *Changes to the Communications Policy*. Finally, on June 20, the Committee resumed its study of the *Estimates Process* with the appearance of the Parliamentary Budget Officer.

During the period from September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee studied Bill C-24, *An Act to amend the Salaries Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Financial Administration Act,* and reported the bill back to the House without amendment on October 23. The Committee also considered the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18,* presenting its 11th Report to the House on November 29. The Committee continued its study of *Changes to the Communications Policy* and concluded it on December 4 by presenting its 12th Report to the House entitled *Reaching Canadians with Effective Government Advertising*. The Committee also initiated a study of the *Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business*, hearing from 28 witnesses over four meetings. Furthermore, the Committee commenced a study of *Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) in Federal Procurement*. Finally, the Committee considered the *Departmental Performance Reports 2016-17* and held a briefing on *Government Information Technology Transformation*.

During the period from January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study of *Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business*, hearing from eight witnesses over three meetings. The Committee also continued its study of *Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) in Federal Procurement,* hearing from 18 witnesses over six meetings. Furthermore, the Committee considered the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* and the *Interim Estimates 2018-19,* and presented its 13th and 14th reports on the same to the House on March 2.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

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Joyce Murray

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	287	6,776	7,063
Estimates Process	-	-	109	109
Review of the Public Servants Disclosure Protection Act	2,156	2,300	745	5,201
Changes to the Communications Policy	800	1,091	942	2,834
Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business	4,824	908	894	6,626
Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) in Federal Procurement	1,862	800	978	3,640
TOTAL[3]	**9,642**	**5,386**	**10,444**	**25,473**

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	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (OGGO)	45	8	10	-	75h46m	252	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SOGG)[4]	4	-	-	-	2h17m	-	-
TOTAL	**49**	**8**	**10**	**-**	**78h03m**	**252**	**9**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Health studies issues that relate to Health Canada, including bills and regulations. It also has oversight of four health-related agencies, including the Canadian Food Inspection Agency and the Public Health Agency of Canada.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of the *Public Health Effects of Online Violent and Degrading Sexually Explicit Material on Children, Women and Men (M-47)*, during which it heard from 11 witnesses. The Committee presented its report to the House on this subject on June 9. The Committee began three studies: *Thalidomide Survivors Contribution Program*, *Federal Framework on Lyme Disease*, and *Antimicrobial Resistance*. The Committee devoted four meetings to the first study and two meetings to the two others and heard a total of nine witnesses on each study. The Committee considered Bill C-211, *An Act respecting a federal framework on post-traumatic stress disorder*, and reported it to the House with amendments on May 30. The Committee also considered Bill S-211, *An Act respecting National Sickle Cell Awareness Day*, and reported it to the House without amendment on May 9. Furthermore, the Committee studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18* and continued its study of the *Development of a National Pharmacare Program*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee considered Bill C-45, *An Act respecting cannabis and to amend the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, the Criminal Code and other Acts*. During the course of the study, the Committee held eight meetings and heard from 120 witnesses. It reported the bill to the House with amendments on October 5. On September 21, Marilyn Gladu was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee. The Committee also continued its studies *Development of a National Pharmacare Program* and *Antimicrobial Resistance*, hearing from 27 witnesses over eight meetings. Additionally, the Committee held a briefing on *Report 4 – Oral Health for First Nations and Inuit*, related to the Fall 2017 report of the Auditor General. The Committee also studied the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*. Finally, the Committee began a study of *Canada's Food Guide*.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee considered Bill S-5, *An Act to Amend the Tobacco Act and the Non-Smokers' Health Act and to Make Consequential Amendments to Other Acts*. The bill was reported to the House with amendments on March 20. A total of 27 witnesses were heard over the course of four meetings during this study. The Committee also considered and adopted a draft report as part of its study on the *Development of a National Pharmacare Program*. Finally, the Committee started its study of Bill C-326, *An Act to amend the Department of Health Act (drinking water guidelines)*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

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Vice-Chairs	Marilyn Gladu	
	Don Davies	
Members	Ramez Ayoub	John Oliver
	Doug Eyolfson	Sonia Sidhu
	Ben Lobb	Len Webber
	Ron McKinnon	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Bill Blair	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	2,724	2,724
Development of a National Pharmacare Program	3,531	-	546	4,078
Bill C-277	428	-	-	428
Public Health Effects of Online Violent and Degrading Sexually Explicit Material on Children, Women and Men (M-47)	5,228	3,075	1,013	9,316
Thalidomide Survivors Contribution Program	2,586	515	675	3,777
Bill C-211	-	1,050	1,013	2,063
Federal Framework on Lyme Disease	2,089	500	685	3,274
Bill C-45	38,653	7,628	3,031	49,311
Antimicrobial Resistance	11,977	1,995	720	14,692
Canada's Food Guide	860	100	50	1,010
Bill S-5	6,475	500	764	7,739
Bill C-326	985	2,894	140	4,018
TOTAL[3]	**72,812**	**18,257**	**11,361**	**102,430**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

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Standing Committee (HESA)	51	12	22	-	130h36m	247	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHES)[4]	1	-	-	-	0h49m	-	-
TOTAL	**52**	**12**	**22**	**-**	**131h25m**	**247**	**5**

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, SKILLS AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE STATUS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (HUMA)

MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities studies employment, labour, income security, skills development and disability issues, as well as programs administered by Employment and Social Development Canada. The Committee also administers the Centennial Flame Research Award.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of Bill C-243, *An Act respecting the development of a national maternity assistance program strategy and amending the Employment Insurance Act (maternity benefits)*. It held three meetings, during which it heard nine witnesses, including the sponsor of the bill and representatives from the Department of Employment and Social Development, and reported the bill to the House with amendments on May 3. The Committee completed its study on *Poverty Reduction Strategies* and presented its Seventh Report, *Breaking the Cycle: A Study on Poverty Reduction* to the House on May 31. Further to the adoption of motion M-106 by the House, the Committee began a study on *Advancing Inclusion and Quality of Life for Canadian Seniors*. The Committee also studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18*. Lastly, it launched the *2017 Centennial Flame Research Award* and invited Canadians with disabilities to apply.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of *Advancing Inclusion and Quality of Life for Canadian Seniors*. After it had held 11 meetings on the topic, heard from 65 witnesses and reviewed 39 briefs, the Committee began writing its draft report. On September 26, the Hon. Steven Blaney was elected First Vice-Chair of the Committee. The Committee also selected the recipient of the *2017 Centennial Flame Research Award*, Mr. Benjamin Fulton. On September 28, the Committee received a briefing on *Report 5 – Temporary Foreign Worker Program – ESDC*, related to the Spring 2017 report of the Auditor General of Canada. Lastly, the Committee began a study of *Experiential Learning and Pathways to Employment for Canadian Youth*.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study *Advancing Inclusion and Quality of Life for Canadian Seniors* and held five meetings to consider a draft report. Furthermore, the Committee considered Bill C-65, *An Act to amend the Canada Labour Code (harassment and violence), the Parliamentary Employment and Staff Relations Act and the Budget Implementation Act, 2017, No 1*. It was still under consideration by the Committee at the end of March.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Bryan May	
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	Stéphane Lauzon	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	1,945	1,945
Poverty Reduction Strategies	3,063	-	9	3,073
Bill C-243	574	2,663	759	3,995
Advancing Inclusion and Quality of Life for Canadian Seniors	21,503	6,873	2,268	30,645
2017 Centennial Flame Research Award	1,138	-	-	1,138
Experiential Learning and Pathways to Employment for Canadian Youth	4,860	1,750	405	7,015
Bill C-65	5,171	450	1,598	7,218
TOTAL[3]	**36,309**	**11,736**	**6,984**	**55,029**

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	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (HUMA)	46	8	12	-	80h37m	169	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHUM)[4]	2	-	-	-	1h23m	-	-
TOTAL	**48**	**8**	**12**	**-**	**82h00m**	**169**	**3**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs reviews, examines and reports on issues affecting Aboriginal Canadians and northerners.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee completed its study of *Default Prevention and Management Policy* and presented its Sixth Report to the House on May 29. The Committee also completed its study of *Suicide Among Indigenous Peoples and Communities*, presenting its Ninth Report to the House on June 19. The Committee resumed its study of the *Subject Matter of Bill S-3, An Act to amend the Indian Act (elimination of sex-based inequities in registration)*, hearing from over 20 witnesses over the course of two meetings. It studied the bill before reporting it back to the House with amendments on June 16. The Committee considered the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, presenting its Fifth Report on May 8, as well as the *Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18*, presenting its Seventh Report on June 2. Finally, the Committee began a study of the *Subject Matter of Bill C-17, An Act to amend the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act and to make a consequential amendment to another Act*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee commenced a study of *Specific and Comprehensive Land Claims Agreements* which included travel to Vancouver, British Columbia, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Quebec City, Quebec, Belleville, Ontario, and Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, and hearing from 89 witnesses. The Committee also completed its study of Bill C-17, *An Act to amend the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act and to make a consequential amendment to another Act*, reporting the bill back to the House on October 6, 2017, without amendment. The Committee commenced a study on *Fire Safety and Emergency Management in Indigenous Communities*. On November 30, it received a briefing on the *Mandate Letter of the Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs* and on the *Mandate Letter of the Minister of Indigenous Services* followed by consideration of the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*. The Committee presented its 11th Report, on the Estimates, on December 1, 2017. On September 19, Cathy McLeod was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee concluded its study of *Specific Claims and Comprehensive Land Claims Agreements*. On March 19, the Chair presented the 12th Report, entitled *Indigenous Land Rights: Towards Respect and Implementation*. The Committee continued its study of *Fire Safety and Emergency Management in Indigenous Communities*. The Committee began the study of Bill C-262, *An Act to ensure that the laws of Canada are in harmony with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples*. *On March 20,* the Committee also conducted a study of the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* and of the *Subject Matter of the Interim Estimates 2018-19*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. MaryAnn Mihychuk	
Vice-Chairs	Cathy McLeod	
	Romeo Saganash	
Members	William Amos	Dan Vandal
	Gary Anandasangaree	Arnold Viersen
	Mike Bossio	Kevin Waugh
	T.J. Harvey	
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Yvonne Jones	
	Don Rusnak	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	4,364	4,364
Suicide Among Indigenous Peoples and Communities	5,574	-	283	5,857
Subject Matter of Bill S-3	4,573	275	261	5,109
Default Prevention and Management Policy	6,443	425	270	7,137
Specific and Comprehensive Land Claims Agreements	20,477	370	1,347	22,194
Subject Matter of Bill C-17	1,189	-	1,282	2,471
Fire Safety and Emergency Management in Indigenous Communities	16,869	1,175	1,341	19,385
TOTAL[3]	**55,125**	**2,245**	**9,148**	**66,517**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Specific and Comprehensive Land Claims Agreements – Vancouver, British Columbia; Yellowknife, Northwest Territories; Winnipeg Manitoba; Belleville, Ontario; Quebec City, Quebec September 24 to 29, 2017 and October 22 and 23, 2017	7	9	61,935	14,403	6,730	25,130	108,198
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**9**	**61,935**	**14,403**	**6,730**	**25,130**	**108,198**

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Standing Committee (INAN)	50	7	6	2	95h22m	248	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SINA)[4]	3	-	-	-	1h37m	-	-
TOTAL	**53**	**7**	**6**	**2**	**96h59m**	**248**	**8**

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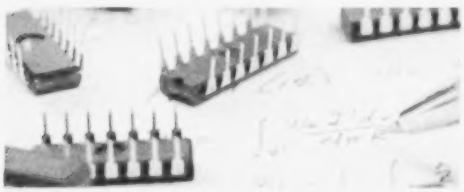

MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Industry, Science and Technology studies and reports on legislation, the activities and spending of Industry Canada and its portfolio members, and other issues related to industry and technology capability; scientific research and development; telecommunications policy; investment, trade, small business and tourism; and rules and services that support the effective operation of the marketplace.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee concluded its consideration of Bill C-36, *An Act to amend the Statistics Act*. Over the course of the study, the Committee heard 18 witnesses over seven meetings, and reported the bill back to the House without amendment on May 8. Two meetings were dedicated to the consideration of the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, and they were reported back to the House on May 29. During this same period, the Committee completed its study of the *Manufacturing Sector* by presenting its Sixth Report entitled *The Canadian Manufacturing Sector: Urgent Need to Adapt* to the House on May 31. The Committee's Seventh Report relative to its study of *Canada-United States Cooperation in Innovation and Jobs Creation* was presented to the House on June 12. In relation to this study, the Committee travelled to Washington, D.C., from May 1 to 3. Following a briefing on broadband connectivity in rural Canada and a briefing on intellectual property and technology transfer, the Committee commenced a study on the latter, holding six meetings and hearing 27 witnesses on this matter. The Committee also issued a news release inviting Canadians to submit briefs on its upcoming study of *Broadband Connectivity in Rural Canada*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of *Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer* and presented its Eighth Report to the House on November 23. Two meetings were dedicated to the consideration of the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*, and the Committee reported them back to the House on December 4. Following an order of reference from the House in relation to the *Statutory Review of Canada's Anti-Spam Legislation*, the Committee held 13 meetings and heard from 41 witnesses before reporting its findings to the House in its 10th Report, presented on December 13. Furthermore, following a briefing from the Department of Industry and the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission, on November 23, the Committee commenced its study of *Broadband Connectivity in Rural Canada*. Also, on December 7, the Committee considered the *Order in Council Appointment of Mona Nemer to the Position of Chief Science Advisor*. On September 19, the Hon. Maxime Bernier was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study of *Broadband Connectivity in Rural Canada* holding six meetings, hearing 14 witnesses and adopting a report. The Committee also held one meeting, with four witnesses, for the study of *iPhone Performances and their Batteries: The Interests of Canadian Consumers*. Following an order of reference from the House in relation to the *Statutory Review of the Copyright Act*, the Committee held meetings, including a briefing with six witnesses from the departments of Industry and Canadian Heritage, to prepare the upcoming year-long study.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Dan Ruimy

Vice-Chairs Hon. Maxime Bernier
Brian Masse

Members

Frank Baylis	Lloyd Longfield
Matt Jeneroux	Mary Ng
Majid Jowhari	Terry Sheehan
Dane Lloyd	

Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)

David Lametti	Kate Young
Alaina Lockhart	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	3,468	3,468
Bill C-36	4,310	1,284	305	5,899
Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer	4,282	3,186	1,262	8,730
Statutory Review of Canada's Anti-Spam Legislation	4,189	737	440	5,365
Broadband Connectivity in Rural Canada	2,388	2,400	395	5,184
TOTAL[3]	**15,169**	**7,607**	**5,870**	**28,646**

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DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Canada–United States Cooperation in Innovation and Jobs Creation – Washington, D.C., United States of America May 1 to 3, 2017	7	4	15,554	12,061	3,499	1,652	32,765
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**4**	**15,554**	**12,061**	**3,499**	**1,652**	**32,765**

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STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (INDU)	47	4	12	0	80h48m	138	7
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SIND)[4]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	**47**	**4**	**12**	**0**	**80h48m**	**138**	**7**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on International Trade studies and reports on such matters as international trade policy, and the global trade and investment environment.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued its public consultation on the *Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America*. It held eight meetings on the matter in Ottawa, including two during the summer, during which it heard 35 witnesses including the Minister of Foreign Affairs. In relation to the same study, it also travelled in April to San Francisco and Sacramento, California, Denver, Colorado, and Seattle, Washington, and in June to Detroit, Michigan, Chicago, Illinois, and Washington, D.C. During these trips, the Committee met with elected officials, the Canadian and American business community, and think tank experts. A meeting was also held in Washington with the House Ways and Means Subcommittee on Trade, to which all members of the House Committee on Ways and Means were invited; in total, 17 American Representatives attended this meeting. Lastly, the Committee presented in the House its Sixth and Seventh reports, respectively entitled *The Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement Benefits and Challenges for Canadians* and *The Canadian Steel Industry's Ability to Compete Internationally*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued and completed its study on *Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America*. It held 10 meetings in Ottawa and heard 34 witnesses, including the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. The Committee travelled to the United States in September as part of this study. Committee members visited a number of businesses in Columbus, Ohio, and Milwaukee, Wisconsin, in addition to meeting several elected officials and business people. The Committee was to travel to Mexico City, Mexico, but had to cancel the trip when an earthquake struck the area. The Committee presented its Eighth Report to the House on December 12, entitled *Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders Having an Interest in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America, Between Canada, the United States and Mexico*.

On October 31, the Committee held a meeting with a delegation from Ukraine, attended by the Prime Minister H.E. Volodymyr Groysman, the First Vice Prime Minister H.E. Stepan Kubiv and the Ambassador of Ukraine to Canada H.E. Andriy Shevchenko. Members of the Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and International Development and the Standing Committee on National Defence were invited to the meeting, and 30 MPs attended.

The Committee conducted four studies during the period. Three meetings were held and 14 witnesses heard as part of the first study, *Progressive Canadian Enterprises and SMEs Through Electronic Commerce*. Three meetings were held and 17 witnesses questioned during the second study, *Multiculturalism and International Trade*. During the third study, *Briefing on the Ongoing Negotiations on the North American Free Trade Agreement*, Committee members questioned the chief Canadian negotiator for the NAFTA talks. The last study, *Global Affairs Canada Update on Certain International Trade Agreements Negotiations*, involved four senior officials and one meeting. The Committee welcomed the Auditor General of Canada as part of the study of *Report 2 – Customs Duties, of the Spring 2017 Report of the Auditor General of Canada*. Lastly, Dean Allison was elected Vice-Chair on September 20.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee focused on two potential free trade agreements under negotiation: the free trade agreement between Canada and the Pacific Alliance and the free trade agreement between Canada and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN). In the first instance, the Committee heard witnesses from various sectors over the course of four meetings. In its fifth meeting on the subject, the Committee had the honour of hearing the ambassadors of Chile and Mexico and senior officials from the embassies of Colombia and Peru. In addition, a delegation from the Committee made a 10-day trip to the ASEAN countries, visiting Singapore, Singapore; Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; and Bangkok, Thailand. The delegation met with international trade ministers and senior officials in each of these countries and with business people from Canada and Southeast Asia, and toured facilities such as the Solmax geomembrane plant in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Mark Eyking

Vice-Chairs Dean Allison
Tracey Ramsey

Members Colin Carrie
Sukh Dhaliwal
Peter Fonseca
Randy Hoback
Linda Lapointe
Karen Ludwig
Kyle Peterson

Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members) Pam Goldsmith-Jones
Hon. Andrew Leslie

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	4,188	4,188
The Canadian Steel Industry's Ability to Compete Internationally	1,045	-	43	1,088
Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America	8,380	4,376	1,177	13,934
Progressive Canadian Enterprises and SMEs through Electronic Commerce	2,406	-	252	2,658
Multiculturalism and International Trade	3,088	550	166	3,804
A Potential Agreement Between Canada and the Pacific Alliance: Consulting Canadians	5,811	1,146	215	7,172
TOTAL[3]	**20,730**	**6,072**	**6,041**	**32,844**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME[1] DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders Having an Interest in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America – Seattle, Washington State; Sacramento and San Francisco, California; Denver, Colorado, United States of America April 2 to 7, 2017	7	3	33,584	20,510	4,061	8,615	66,771
Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders Having an Interest in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America – Detroit, Michigan; Chicago, Illinois; Washington, D.C., United States of America June 4 to 8, 2017	7	5	23,851	17,780	5,860	3,484	50,974
Priorities of Canadian Stakeholders Having an Interest in Bilateral and Trilateral Trade in North America – Columbus, Ohio; Milwaukee, Wisconsin, United States of America September 27 to 29, 2017	7	5	32,999	5,202	2,298	3,287	43,786
Trade Relationship Between Canada and Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations – Singapore, Singapore; Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; Bangkok, Thailand February 23 to March 3, 2018	7	3	89,756	18,201	8,369	5,618	121,944
TOTAL[3]	**28**	**16**	**180,190**	**61,693**	**20,588**	**21,004**	**283,475**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (CIIT)	39	19	13	1	55h01m	150	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCII)[4]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	**39**	**19**	**13**	**1**	**55h01m**	**150**	**3**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Justice and Human Rights studies the bills, policies, programs and spending of the Department of Justice and the six federal agencies related to its portfolio.

During the period of April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued with the next part of its study on *Access to the Justice System* which focussed on *Legal Aid*. The Committee studied Bill S-217, *An Act to amend the Criminal Code (detention in custody)* and reported back to the House on May 11, recommending that the bill not proceed further. With regard to its study on the *Proposals for a Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment, 2017*, the Committee considered the said proposals and the Chair presented the report to the House on May 31. The Committee held a meeting for the *Consideration of Kathleen Roussel for Appointment as Director of Public Prosecutions* and, on June 7, reported to the House recommending that her appointment be approved. The Committee then began its study of Bill C-46, *An Act to amend the Criminal Code (offences related to conveyances) and to make consequential amendments to other Acts*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee completed its study of Bill C-46. The Committee held six meetings, heard 70 witnesses and received 18 briefs before reporting the bill to the House with amendments on October 16. The Committee continued its study on *Access to the Justice System*, and completed the second part of the study concerning *Legal Aid*. It presented its report to the House on October 30. The Committee then considered Bill C-51, *An Act to amend the Criminal Code and the Department of Justice Act and to make consequential amendments to another Act*. The Committee heard from 46 witnesses and received 17 briefs before reporting the bill to the House with amendments on November 20. The Committee also began a study on *Counselling and Other Mental Health Supports for Jurors*. The Committee held a meeting on December 4 regarding the *Nomination of the Honourable Sheilah L. Martin to the Supreme Court of Canada*. Lastly, the Hon. Rob Nicholson was elected Committee Vice-Chair on September 19.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study *Counselling and Other Mental Health Supports for Jurors*. Following changes to the Committee's membership, Murray Rankin was elected Second Vice-Chair on January 30. The Committee began its study *Human Trafficking in Canada* by holding public hearings. The Committee travelled to Halifax, Nova Scotia; Montréal, Quebec; Toronto, Ontario; Edmonton, Alberta; and Vancouver, British Columbia, from March 19 to 23 to meet with and visit over 80 organizations for the purpose of this study.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Anthony Housefather	
Vice-Chairs	Hon. Rob Nicholson Murray Rankin	
Members	Randy Boissonnault Michael Cooper Ali Ehsassi Colin Fraser	Iqra Khalid Dave Mackenzie Ron McKinnon
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Bill Blair Marco Mendicino	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	476	476
Access to the Justice System	4,069	-	530	4,598
Bill C-305	1,409	-	-	1,409
Bill S-217	6,872	-	344	7,216
Bill C-46	17,776	2,602	1,396	21,773
Bill C-51	11,409	1,303	1,219	13,931
Counselling and Other Mental Health Supports for Jurors	12,727	1,493	960	15,180
Human Trafficking in Canada	5,122	531	551	6,204
TOTAL[3]	**59,384**	**5,929**	**5,476**	**70,787**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Human Trafficking in Canada – Halifax, Nova Scotia; Montréal, Quebec; Toronto, Ontario; Edmonton, Alberta; Vancouver, British Columbia March 18 to 24, 2018	7	7	40,120	9,350	5,285	7,005	61,760
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**7**	**40,120**	**9,350**	**5,285**	**7,005**	**61,760**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (JUST)	40	16	15	1	71h46m	210	7
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SJUS)[4]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	**40**	**16**	**15**	**1**	**71h46m**	**210**	**7**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on National Defence studies the Department of National Defence and the Canadian Armed Forces, as well as the domestic, continental and international security environment.

During the period of April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee held 15 meetings. The Committee studied the order in council appointment of Jody Thomas, to the position of Senior Associate Deputy Minister of National Defence. The Committee then continued its study of *Canada and the Defence of North America* and adopted two reports on this question. The first, *The Canada-U.S. Relationship: Perspectives on Defence, Security and Trade*, presented to the House on May 31 and the second, *The Readiness of Canada's Naval Forces*, presented to the House on June 15. The Committee also began a study on *Canada's Involvement in NATO* and held a meeting with the Minister of National Defence and department officials in regards to *Canada's Defence Policy Review*. On August 22, the Committee met at the request of four members, pursuant to Standing Order 106(4), and agreed to conduct a study on *Canada's Abilities to Defend Itself and our Allies in the Event of an Attack by North Korea*.

During the period of September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee held 19 meetings. The Committee held one meeting to study *Canada's Abilities to Defend Itself and our Allies in the Event of an Attack by North Korea*. The Committee then continued its study on *Canada's Involvement in NATO,* holding a total of six meetings. The Committee then undertook a study on *Canada and the Ukraine Crisis,* holding a total of nine meetings prior to presenting its report on December 11, 2017. The Committee also studied the order in council appointments of Jody Thomas to the position of Deputy Minister of National Defence, Gordon Venner to the position of Associate Deputy Minister of National Defence, William Matthews to the position of Senior Associate Deputy Minister of National Defence, and Geneviève Bernatchez to the position of Judge Advocate General of the Canadian Armed Forces. The Committee also held one meeting on the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*, reporting them on November 30, 2017. During this same period, from September 18 to 26, 2017, the Committee travelled to NATO Headquarters in Brussels, Belgium, then to Latvia and Ukraine in connection with its study on *Canada's Involvement in NATO*. Finally, on October 2, James Bezan was elected the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

During the period of January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee held 13 meetings. The Committee continued its study of *Canada's Involvement in NATO*, holding a total of 11 meetings. In addition, the Committee held one meeting with the Minister of National Defence concerning the *Subject Matter of Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017- 18* as well as the *Subject Matter of Interim Estimates 2018-19*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Stephen Fuhr

Vice-Chairs James Bezan
Randall Garrison

Members Leona Alleslev
Darren Fisher
Cheryl Gallant
Mark Gerretsen
Yves Robillard
Sven Spengemann
David Yurdiga

Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members) Jean R. Rioux
Sherry Romanado

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	2,248	2,248
Canada and the Defence of North America	-	-	957	957
Canada's Abilities to Defend Itself and our Allies in the Event of an Attack by North Korea	4,745	620	425	5,790
Canada and the Ukraine Crisis	3,266	2,359	1,096	6,720
Canada's Involvement in NATO	6,447	1,651	1,735	9,833
TOTAL[3]	**14,458**	**4,630**	**6,461**	**25,548**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

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Canada's Involvement in NATO – Brussels, Belgium; Riga, Latvia; Kiev, Ukraine September 18 to 26, 2017	7	2	81,621	15,722	6,839	9,818	114,001
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**2**	**81,621**	**15,722**	**6,839**	**9,818**	**114,001**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (NDDN)	47	3	9	2	78h51m	112	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SNDD)[4]	2	-	-	-	1h53m	-	-
TOTAL	**49**	**3**	**9**	**2**	**80h44m**	**112**	**5**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Natural Resources studies bills, government activities and expenditures, and issues related to Canada's energy, forest, minerals and metals, and earth sciences sectors.

From April 1 to August 31, the Committee held 10 meetings, mainly for its study on *Clean Technology in Canada's Natural Resources Sectors*. Over the course of 12 meetings on this study, the Committee heard from 52 witnesses, and the Chair presented the report on June 9. The same day, the Committee also presented the third report relating to its study of *The Future of Canada's Oil and Gas, Mining and Nuclear Sectors: Innovation, Sustainable Solutions and Economic Opportunities*, focussing on the Nuclear Sector. During this period, the Committee also studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, hearing from the Minister of Natural Resources on this subject.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee focused on two studies. The first concerned *Strategic Electricity Inter-ties*. The Committee heard 45 witnesses before presenting a report to the House on December 11. The other study concerned *Secondary Supply Chain Products in the Forestry Sector in Canada* and involved seven hearings. On September 20, Shannon Stubbs was elected Committee Vice-Chair.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee devoted four additional meetings to its study on *Secondary Supply Chain Products in the Forestry Sector in Canada*. The Committee heard a further 24 witnesses during those meetings. On February 7, the House referred Bill C-354, *An Act to amend the Department of Public Works and Government Services Act (use of wood)*, to the Committee. The Committee spent four meetings hearing witnesses on this subject.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	James Maloney	
Vice-Chairs	Shannon Stubbs Richard Cannings	
Members	Ted Falk T.J. Harvey Mary Ng Jamie Schmale	Marc Serré Geng Tan Nick Whalen
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Kim Rudd	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	265	265
The Future of Canada's Oil and Gas, Mining and Nuclear Sectors: Innovation, Sustainable Solutions and Economic Opportunities	-	-	86	86
Clean Technology in Canada's Natural Resource Sectors	15,129	1,370	236	16,735
Strategic Electricity Inter-ties	4,312	2,861	731	7,904
Secondary Supply Chain Products in the Forestry Sector in Canada	7,494	7,107	755	15,356
Bill C-354	1,570	525	325	2,419
TOTAL[3]	**28,505**	**11,863**	**2,398**	**42,765**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

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Strategic Electricity Inter-ties – Toronto, Mississauga, Oshawa and Chalk River, Ontario Cancelled[1]	-	-	1,407	-	-	-	1,407
TOTAL[2]	**-**	**-**	**1,407**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**1,407**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (RNNR)	40	1	19	-	56h52m	145	4
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SRNN)[4]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	**40**	**1**	**19**	**-**	**56h52m**	**145**	**4**

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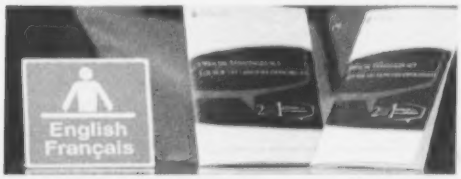

MANDATE

The mandate of the Standing Committee on Official Languages includes, among other matters, the review of official language policies and programs, including reports of the Commissioner of Official Languages.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee concluded its study on *Enumeration of Rights-Holders Under Section 23 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms* with the presentation of its Fifth Report to the House on May 9. The Committee also continued its study on the *Full Implementation of the Official Languages Act in the Canadian Justice System*, hearing from 24 witnesses. Furthermore, the Committee held one meeting on *Issues Related to French-Language Training in the Field of Nursing in Canada*. Moreover, the Committee pursued its study on *Air Canada's Implementation of the Official Languages Act*, hearing from officials of the Department of Transport and from the Interim Commissioner of Official Languages. As well, the Committee dedicated one meeting to the *Audit of Bilingual Services to the Travelling Public Provided by the CATSA*. On May 15, pursuant to Standing Order 111.1(1), the *Certificate of Nomination of Madeleine Meilleur to the Position of Commissioner of Official Languages* was referred to the Committee by the House, and on May 18, the nominee appeared before the Committee. Additionally, the Minister of Canadian Heritage and the Minister of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship appeared on June 14 on the Government's Response to the Committee's Report entitled *Toward a New Action Plan for Official Languages and Building New Momentum for Immigration in Francophone Minority Communities*. Finally, the Committee met with the Interim Commissioner of Official Languages to discuss the *Annual Report 2016-17*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee held one meeting to discuss the Government's Response to its Fifth Report entitled *The Enumeration of Rights-Holders Under Section 23 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms: Toward a Census that Supports the Charter*. Also, from October 23 to 26, seven members of the Committee travelled to Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, and to Cape Breton and Grand Pré, Nova Scotia, in relation to its *Review of the Status of Official Languages in Minority Settings across Canada* during which they met with various community representatives from the two official language minority groups. Additionally during this period, the Committee concluded its study of *Air Canada's Implementation of the Official Languages Act* with the presentation of its Sixth Report to the House on November 2. Furthermore, the Committee held one meeting on the *2016 Census Language Data: Overestimation of the Growth of English in Quebec*. The Committee also began its study on *Access to Early Childhood Services in the Minority Language* by hearing from the Minister of Families, Children and Social Development on November 30. Also, pursuant to Standing Order 111.1(1), the *Certificate of Nomination of Raymond Théberge to the Position of Commissioner of Official Languages* was referred to the Committee by the House on November 30 and the nominee appeared before the Committee on December 5 and 7. On December 8, the Committee presented its Seventh Report to the House, recommending the nominee's appointment. Moreover, the Minister of Canadian Heritage appeared before the Committee on December 7 to discuss the *Annual Report on Official Languages 2015-16*. Finally, the Committee concluded its study on the *Full Implementation of the Official Languages Act in the Canadian Justice System* by presenting its Eighth Report to the House on December 12. On September 19, Alupa Clarke was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee began a *Review of Literacy and Numeracy Support Programs in Canada* and a *Review of Support Programs for Official Language Minority Community Media*. The Committee heard witnesses in relation to both these studies during this period. Furthermore, the Committee travelled to Whitehorse, Yukon; Vancouver, British Columbia; Edmonton, Alberta; and Winnipeg, Manitoba in relation to its studies on *Access to Early Childhood Services in the Minority Language* and *French and English as a Second-Language Programs*. During this trip, the Committee heard from 44 witnesses and visited schools, daycares and community organizations and various stakeholders. Finally, the Committee held a follow-up meeting on its previously conducted study of *Issues Related to the Enumeration of Rights-Holders Under Section 23 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Denis Paradis

Vice-Chairs Alupa A. Clarke
François Choquette

Members René Arseneault
Sylvie Boucher
Bernard Généreux
Linda Lapointe
Paul Lefebvre
Darrell Samson
Dan Vandal

Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member) Sean Casey

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	3,013	3,013
Air Canada's Implementation of the Official Languages Act	2,296	-	804	3,100
Full Implementation of the Official Languages Act in the Canadian Justice System	5,571	-	1,116	6,687
Issues Related to French-Language Training in the Field of Nursing in Canada	4,720	-	261	4,981
Issues Related to the Enumeration of Rights-Holders Under Section 23 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms	-	-	51	51
Review of Support Programs for Official Language Minority Community Media	2,904	-	183	3,087
Review of Literacy and Numeracy Support Programs in Canada	285	-	113	398
French and English as a Second-Language Programs	3,341	-	-	3,341
Access to Early Childhood Services in the Minority Language	3,304	-	-	3,304
TOTAL[3]	**22,421**	-	**5,541**	**27,962**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Review of the Status of Official Languages in Minority Settings across Canada – Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec; Cape Breton and Grand Pré de la Vallée, Nova Scotia October 22 to 26, 2017	7	2	13,206	3,946	2,721	783	20,656
Access to Early Childhood Services in the Minority Language French and English as a Second-Language Programs – Whitehorse, Yukon; Vancouver, British Columbia; Edmonton, Alberta; Winnipeg, Manitoba February 26 to March 2, 2018	7	9	31,877	9,902	5,273	17,889	64,940
TOTAL[1]	**14**	**11**	**45,083**	**13,848**	**7,994**	**18,672**	**85,596**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (LANG)	43	7	1	-	75h34m	142	5
TOTAL	**43**	**7**	**1**	**-**	**75h34m**	**142**	**5**

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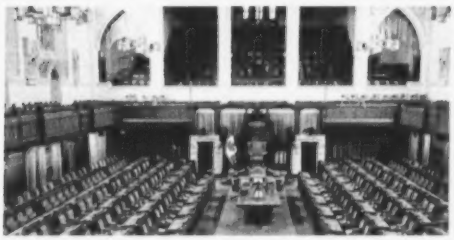

MANDATE (PROC)

The Procedure and House Affairs Committee studies and reports on the rules and practices of the House and its committees, electoral matters, questions of privilege, MP conflicts of interest, internal administration of the House, and services and facilities for MPs.

Between April 1 and August 31, 2017, the Committee held 12 meetings and presented seven reports to the House. Its 55th meeting, which had begun on March 21, was adjourned on May 2. Both the 29th Report, presented and concurred in on May 1, and the 32nd Report, presented and concurred in on June 1, dealt with changes to the membership of committees. The Committee considered the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, as reported to the House on May 18 in its 31st Report. In addition, following an order of reference from the House in relation to a *Question of Privilege Regarding the Free Movement of Members of Parliament within the Parliamentary Precinct*, the Committee held seven meetings and heard from 10 witnesses before reporting its findings to the House in its 34th Report, presented on June 19. Furthermore, the Committee continued its study of the Chief Electoral Officer's report entitled *An Electoral Framework for the 21st Century: Recommendations from the Chief Electoral Officer of Canada Following the 42nd General Election*, presenting a third interim report in relation to this study on June 20. On June 15, the Committee heard from the Hon. Bardish Chagger, Leader of the Government in the House of Commons, in relation to potential changes to the Standing Orders. At the same meeting, the Committee also considered the *Proposed Appointment of Charles Robert to the Position of Clerk of the House of Commons*, by hearing from the nominee.

The Subcommittee on Private Members' Business met twice pursuant to Standing Order 91.1 to consider the votability of Private Members' bills and motions. These meetings led to two PROC reports: its 30th Report, presented on May 4; and its 33rd Report, presented on June 14.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee held 18 meetings and presented 13 reports to the House. During this period, the Committee conducted a *Review of the Code of Conduct for Members of the House of Commons: Sexual Harassment*, recommending changes to the Code in its 42nd Report. The Code, which came into force on the first day of the 42nd Parliament, provides a framework for addressing complaints of sexual harassment between Members of the House of Commons. The Committee also studied Bill C-50, *An Act to amend the Canada Elections Act (political financing)*, hearing from 16 witnesses before reporting it back to the House with amendments on October 23. The Committee undertook a study of *Services and Facilities Provided to Members of Parliament with Young Children*, which culminated in the Committee's 48th Report, presented to the House on November 30. On November 7, the Committee began the *Review of the House of Commons Electronic Petition System*. On November 9, it received a briefing on the status of labour relations at the Parliamentary Protective Service and considered the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*, presenting its 45th Report to the House on November 20. On November 9, the Committee also heard from Sheila Malcolmson, the sponsor of Bill C-352, *An Act to amend the Canada Shipping Act, 2001 and to provide for the development of a national strategy (abandonment of vessels)*, regarding her appeal of the designation of the bill as non-votable by the Subcommittee on Private Members' Business. The Committee concurred with the recommendation of the Subcommittee and presented its 46th Report to the House on November 20. During this reporting period, the Committee also initiated a study of the *Creation of an Independent Commissioner Responsible for Leaders' Debates*. On September 21, Scott Reid was elected as the new First Vice-Chair of the Committee.

The Subcommittee on Private Members' Business met three times pursuant to Standing Order 91.1 to consider the votability of Private Members' bills and motions. These meetings led to the presentation of four Committee reports to the House.

Between January 1 and March 31, 2018, the Committee held 10 meetings and presented 10 reports to the House. During this period, the Committee completed its study of the *Creation of an Independent Commissioner Responsible for Leaders' Debates*, presenting its 55th Report to the House on March 19. On February 27, the Committee considered the *Interim Estimates 2018-19*, reporting them back to the House in its 53rd Report. On March 1, the Committee considered and concurred in the Third Report of the Subcommittee on Private Members' Business. On March 20, the Committee commenced a study of the *Use of Indigenous Languages in Proceedings of the House of Commons*. Furthermore, on March 22, the Committee studied Bill C-377, *An Act to change the name of the electoral district of Châteauguay—Lacolle*, reporting it back to the House without amendments on March 26. On February 1, 2018, the Committee created a subcommittee to review the *Code of Conduct for Members of the House of Commons: Sexual Harassment*. During this reporting period, the Subcommittee held seven meetings.

The Subcommittee on Private Members' Business held three meetings pursuant to Standing Order 91.1 to consider the votability of Private Members' bills and motions. These meetings led to the presentation of four Committee reports to the House.

MEMBERSHIP PROC (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. Larry Bagnell	
Vice-Chair	Blake Richards	
Members	Chris Bittle	Scott Reid
	David Christopherson	Ruby Sahota
	David de Burgh Graham	Scott Simms
	John Nater	Filomena Tassi
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Andy Fillmore	
	Kevin Lamoureux	

MEMBERSHIP SMEM (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Filomena Tassi
Members	Rachel Blaney
	David de Burgh Graham
	Blake Richards

MEMBERSHIP SCCC (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. Larry Bagnell	
Members	Chris Bittle	Hon. Lisa Raitt
	John Brassard	Ruby Sahota
	Sheila Malcolmson	Filomena Tassi

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	8,422	8,422
Chief Electoral Officer's Report - Recommendations Following the 42nd General Election	-	-	418	418
Question of Privilege Regarding the Free Movement of Members of Parliament within the Parliamentary Precinct	-	-	689	689
Bill C-50	901	-	770	1,671
Creation of an Independent Commissioner Responsible for Leaders' Debates	908	3,757	758	5,423
Use of Indigenous Languages in Proceedings of the House of Commons	-	738	-	738
SCCC-Review of the Code of Conduct for Members of the House of Commons: Sexual Harassment	1,171	-	-	1,171
TOTAL[3]	**2,980**	**4,495**	**11,057**	**18,532**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (PROC)	40	5	4	3	112h15m	125	30
Subcommittee on Private Members' Business (SMEM)[4]	2	-	-	-	1h08m	-	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPRO)[4]	8	-	-	-	0h50m	-	-
Subcommittee on the Code of Conduct for Members of the House of Commons: Sexual Harassment (SCCC)[4]	7	-	-	-	8h01m	8	-
TOTAL	**57**	**5**	**4**	**3**	**122h14m**	**133**	**30**

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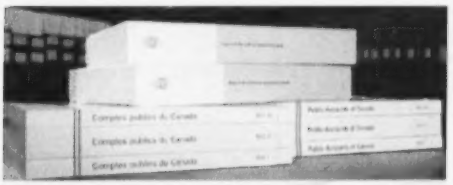

MANDATE

The mandate of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts is to review and report on the Public Accounts of Canada and all reports of the Auditor General of Canada.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee held 15 meetings and presented nine reports. During that time, the Committee completed the study of all the *Fall 2016 Reports of the Auditor General of Canada*, except the *Special Examination Report — Pacific Pilotage Authority*, and presented to the House a report on each of them. The Committee began the study of the *Spring 2017 Reports of the Auditor General*, especially *Report 3, Preventing Corruption in Immigration and Border Services*, and *Report 4, Mental Health Support for Members — Royal Canadian Mounted Police*. The Committee also considered Votes under the Office of the Auditor General in the *Main Estimates 2017-18*, its *Performance Report 2015-16*, as well as the *Report on Plans and Priorities 2017-18*. The Committee also concluded its studies on the *Public Accounts of Canada 2016* and on the *Review of the Plan of the Department of National Defence to Record and Value Inventory* and presented to the House a report on the former entitled *Public Accounts of Canada 2016*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee held 19 meetings and presented 10 reports to the House. During that time, the Committee studied most of the *Spring 2017 Reports of the Auditor General of Canada*, as well as three special examination reports on the Canadian Museum of Nature, Defence Construction Canada, and the Freshwater Fish Marketing Corporation. The Committee also studied the *Public Accounts of Canada 2017* and initiated the study of the *Fall 2017 Reports of the Auditor General of Canada*. The Committee held a briefing with the Canadian Audit and Accountability Foundation (CAAF) on the Public Accounts as well as two briefings on the Committee's power to summon persons, papers and records with the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel. From September 10 to 12, six members, the Clerk and the two analysts participated in the 38th Annual Conference of the Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees (CCPAC), in Fredericton, New Brunswick. From December 4 to 7, the Chair, the Vice-Chairs and the Clerk participated in the 2017 Westminster Workshop for Public Account Committees and the First Commonwealth Association of Public Accounts Committees (CAPAC) Conference, in London, United Kingdom.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee held eight meetings and presented three reports to the House. During that time the Committee continued to study the *Fall 2017 Reports of the Auditor General of Canada* namely *Report 1 Phoenix Pay Problems*, *Report 2 Call Centres — Canada Revenue Agency*, *Report 3 Settlement Services for Syrian Refugees—Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada*, *Report 4 Oral Health Programs for First Nations and Inuit—Health Canada* and *Report 6 Royal Military College of Canada—National Defence*. The Committee also held a briefing with the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel, the Senior General Counsel from the Office of the Auditor General and the Counsel to the Clerk of the Privy Council on the authority of the Auditor General to access information. Finally, the Committee held a briefing with the Auditor General related to various issues before the Committee.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Kevin Sorenson

Vice-Chairs Alexandra Mendès
David Christopherson

Members

Chandra Arya	Rémi Massé
Shaun Chen	Alexander Nuttall
Gérard Deltell	Jean Yip
Paul Lefebvre	

Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members) Steven MacKinnon
Joyce Murray

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TOTAL[2]
Operational Budget[3]	-	-	3,324	3,324
TOTAL[2]	**-**	**-**	**3,324**	**3,324**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Annual Conference of the Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees (CCPAC) and Canadian Council of Legislative Auditors (CCOLA) Annual Conference – Fredericton, New Brunswick September 10 to 12, 2017	6	3	7,993	2,843	941	3,604	15,380
2017 Westminster Workshop and First Conference of the Commonwealth Association of Public Accounts Committees (CAPAC) – London, United Kingdom December 3 to 8, 2017	3	1	9,472	6,327	3,310	1,405	20,514
TOTAL[1]	**9**	**4**	**17,465**	**9,170**	**4,251**	**5,009**	**35,894**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (PACP)	42	19	-	-	73h18m	159	22
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPAC)[4]	1	-	-	-	0h43m	-	-
TOTAL	**43**	**19**	**-**	**-**	**74h01m**	**159**	**22**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Public Safety and National Security reviews legislation, policies, programs and expenditure plans of government departments and agencies responsible for public safety and national security, policing and law enforcement, corrections and conditional release of federal offenders, emergency management, crime prevention and the protection of Canada's borders.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued its study of *Canada's National Security Framework* and presented its report to the House on May 2. The Committee continued its consideration of this matter by travelling to Washington, D.C., between May 3 and 5, to meet with elected and government officials. The Committee studied Bill C-226, *An Act to amend the Criminal Code (offences in relation to conveyances) and the Criminal Records Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts*, recommending that the House not proceed further with the bill. It also considered Bill S-233, *An Act to amend the Customs Act and the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act (presentation and reporting requirements)* (reporting it to the House with one amendment on June 8), Bill C-23, *An Act respecting the preclearance of persons and goods in Canada and the United States* (reporting it to the House with amendments on June 16), and Bill S-231, *An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act and the Criminal Code (protection of journalistic sources)* (reporting it to the House with amendments on June 20). Finally, the Committee studied the *Main Estimates 2017-18* as well as the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee elected the Hon. John McKay as its new Chair and Pierre Paul-Hus as new First Vice-Chair (on September 21). The Committee received a briefing on the Road to Mental Readiness Program, as a follow-up to the Fifth Report of the Committee presented in October 2016 for its study of *Operational Stress Injuries and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in Public Safety Officers and First Responders*. The Committee also held a joint meeting with the Standing Committee on Citizenship and Immigration to receive a briefing on asylum seekers. Furthermore, the Committee examined Bill C-21, *An Act to amend the Customs Act* and reported it back to the House with an amendment on October 30. The Committee also initiated a study on *Indigenous People in the Correctional System* as well as a study on the *Use of Ion Mobility Spectrometers by Correctional Service Canada*. The Committee also studied the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*. The Committee also began studying Bill C-59, *An Act respecting national security matters*, which was referred to the Committee before second reading. Finally, the Committee studied Bill C-66, *An Act to establish a procedure for expunging certain historically unjust convictions and to make related amendments to other Acts*, before reporting it back to the House without amendment, on December 12.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued its study of Bill C-59, *An Act respecting national security matters*, hearing from an additional 42 witnesses, including the Minister of National Defense. The Committee also heard from the Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness as part of its studies of the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* as well as of the *Interim Estimates 2018-19*. Finally, the Committee held an additional meeting as part of its study of the *Use of Ion Mobility Spectrometers by Correctional Service Canada*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. John McKay	
Vice-Chairs	Pierre Paul-Hus Matthew Dubé	
Members	Blaine Calkins Julie Dabrusin Pam Damoff Peter Fragiskatos	Glen Motz Michel Picard Sven Spengemann
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Mark Holland	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	1,751	1,751
Canada's National Security Framework	-	-	817	817
Bill C-23	5,555	700	668	6,923
Bill S-231	783	-	289	1,072
Bill C-21	1,224	250	258	1,732
Indigenous People in the Correctional System	6,974	-	215	7,189
Use of Ion Mobility Spectrometers by Correctional Service Canada	1,575	-	205	1,780
Bill C-59	10,738	1,213	682	12,632
TOTAL[3]	**26,849**	**2,163**	**4,885**	**33,896**

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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Canada's National Security Framework – Washington, D.C., United States of America May 3 to 5, 2017	7	4	12,478	12,354	3,438	1,773	30,042
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**4**	**12,478**	**12,354**	**3,438**	**1,773**	**30,042**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
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Standing Committee (SECU)	45	15	8	1	79h41m	228	10
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SSEC)[4]	11	-	-	-	6h21m	-	-
TOTAL	**56**	**15**	**8**	**1**	**86h02m**	**228**	**10**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on the Status of Women studies the policies, programs, expenditures and legislation of departments and agencies, including Status of Women Canada, that conduct work related to the status of women.

In the period from April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee held 17 meetings. Five of these meetings were dedicated to the study of Bill C-337, *An Act to amend the Judges Act and the Criminal Code (sexual assault)*. The Committee reported the bill back to the House with amendments in the Committee's Ninth Report, tabled on May 12. The Committee also continued its study of the *Economic Security of Women in Canada*.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee began by holding two meetings, on September 26 and October 3, respectively, for the election of its Chair, with Karen Vecchio being elected to this position on the latter day. The Committee then finished hearing witnesses as part of its study on the *Economic Security of Women in Canada*, and provided instructions for the drafting of the final report. Over the course of this study, which began in February 2017, 138 witnesses appeared. Finally, the Committee began a new study entitled *Indigenous Women in the Federal Justice and Correctional Systems*.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee continued and completed its study of *Indigenous Women in the Federal Justice and Correctional Systems*. During this period, the Committee heard testimony from various witnesses and from officials from the Department of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness, the Department of Indian and Northern Affairs Development, Correctional Services Canada, and the Parole Board of Canada. On March 20, the Committee studied the *Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18*, as well as the *Interim Estimates 2018-19*. Finally, the Committee commenced consideration of a draft report in relation to its study of *Economic Security of Women in Canada*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Karen Vecchio	
Vice-Chairs	Pam Damoff	
	Sheila Malcolmson	
Members	Sean Fraser	Emmanuella Lambropoulos
	Rachael Harder	Eva Nassif
	Bernadette Jordan	Marc Serré
	Stephanie Kusie	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Terry Duguid	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	685	685
Economic Security of Women in Canada	29,889	5,566	2,181	37,636
Bill C-337	1,970	1,161	486	3,617
Indigenous Women in the Federal Justice and Correctional Systems	7,559	2,353	2,240	12,152
TOTAL[3]	**39,418**	**9,080**	**5,592**	**54,090**

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (FEWO)	40	5	20	-	62h49m	204	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFEW)[4]	4	-	-	-	2h49m	-	-
TOTAL	**44**	**5**	**20**	**-**	**65h38m**	**204**	**2**

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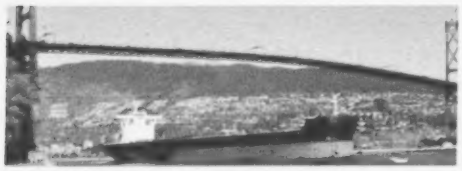

MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Transport, Infrastructure and Communities primarily studies the legislation, policies and programs, and other issues of national importance related to transportation, infrastructure, and Canadian cities and communities as well as the operations of Transport Canada and Infrastructure Canada.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee met 15 times. It began a study on *Aviation Safety*, during which it heard from 47 witnesses over 11 meetings. On May 9, the Committee resumed the study of votes from the *Main Estimates 2017-18* that had begun in March. The Minister of Transport, the Minister of Infrastructure and Communities, and six other witnesses appeared. On May 16, the Committee studied the *Subject Matter of Clauses 403 to 406 (Division 18 of Part 4) of Bill C-44* and, on May 30, studied the votes of the *Supplementary Estimates (A), 2017-18* that were referred to it. The Committee also resumed its study on *Water Quality*. Lastly, it presented its 14th Report, Aviation Safety in Canada, to the House on June 20.

The Committee met 20 times between September 1 and December 31, 2017. It considered Bill C-49, *An Act to amend the Canada Transportation Act and other Acts respecting transportation and to make related and consequential amendments to other Acts*, hearing from a total of 92 witnesses. The bill was adopted with amendments and was the subject of the Committee's 15th Report to the House on October 5. The Committee subsequently examined Bill S-2, *An Act to amend the Motor Vehicle Safety Act and to make a consequential amendment to another Act* and reported it with amendments on October 19. It also examined Bill C-48, *An Act respecting the regulation of vessels that transport crude oil or persistent oil to or from ports or marine installations located along British Columbia's north coast* and presented its 18th Report to the House on November 29. On November 30, the Committee began its consideration of Bill C-344, *An Act to amend the Department of Public Works and Government Services Act (community benefit)*. This bill was passed without amendment and was the subject of the Committee's 19th Report to the House on December 6. During this period, the Committee considered the *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18*, and presented its 17th Report to the House on November 20. It also concluded its study on *Infrastructure and Smart Communities* and reported to the House on December 11. That same day, the Committee also reported to the House on its *Water Quality* study. In addition, the Committee elected Kelly Block Vice-Chair on September 19.

Between January 1 and March 31, 2018, the Committee met 11 times. It examined Bill C-64, *An Act respecting wrecks, abandoned, dilapidated or hazardous vessels and salvage operations* for which it heard from 37 witnesses over five meetings. The bill was adopted with amendments and was the subject of the Committee's 22nd Report to the House on March 2. On March 19, the Committee started a study of *Ocean War Graves*. It also considered the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18* and the *Subject Matter of the Interim Estimates 2018-19* on March 21 hearing from 18 witnesses. Lastly, the Committee began a study of *Automated and Connected Vehicles in Canada*.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Hon. Judy A. Sgro	
Vice-Chairs	Kelly Block Robert Aubin	
Members	Vance Badawey	Angelo Iacono
	Hon. Michael Chong	Ron Liepert
	Sean Fraser	Gagan Sikand
	Ken Hardie	
Parliamentary Secretaries (Non-Voting Members)	Karen McCrimmon Marc Miller	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	4,276	4,276
Infrastructure and Smart Communities	2,896	-	-	2,896
Aviation Safety	5,087	561	969	6,617
Bill C-49	18,148	-	3,945	22,093
Bill S-2	463	-	209	672
Bill C-48	13,671	2,606	4,237	20,514
Water Quality	4,232	1,181	556	5,968
Bill C-64	7,968	2,974	695	11,636
Automated and Connected Vehicles in Canada	2,653	-	278	2,931
Ocean War Graves	242	-	139	381
TOTAL[3]	**55,360**	**7,322**	**15,304**	**77,986**

[1] *Studies for which expenses were made are listed in chronological order.*
[2] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*
[3] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
[4] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (TRAN)	46	14	11	1	111h26m	334	11
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (STRA)[4]	1	-	-	-	0h57m	-	-
TOTAL	**47**	**14**	**11**	**1**	**112h23m**	**334**	**11**

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MANDATE

The Standing Committee on Veterans Affairs examines all matters relating to the mandate, management and operation of the Department of Veterans Affairs and of the Veterans Review and Appeal Board.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Committee continued and completed its study of *Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Among Veterans*, presenting its Sixth Report to the House on June 19. During this period, the Committee heard from 10 witnesses and held nine meetings in relation to this study. In addition, the Committee commenced its *Comparative Study of Services to Veterans in Other Jurisdictions*, hearing from 24 witnesses over the course of six meetings. The Committee also travelled to Washington, D.C., between May 14 and 16 to conduct site visits and meet with United States officials in relation to this study.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Committee continued and completed its *Comparative Study of Services to Veterans in Other Jurisdictions*, hearing witnesses from France and Germany and presenting its Eighth Report to the House on December 13. It also proceeded to the study of *Supplementary Estimates (B), 2017-18* hearing from the Minister of Veterans Affairs. On September 26, due to a change in the Committee's membership, Phil McColeman was elected Vice-Chair.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Committee conducted its study on the *Barriers to Transition and Measurable Outcomes of Successful Transition*. It heard 46 witnesses over the course of nine meetings for this study. The Committee also met to consider the *Subject Matter of the Supplementary Estimates (C), 2017-18*, and the *Subject Matter of the Interim Estimates 2018-19*. It heard from the Minister of Veterans Affairs on March 20 for that purpose. Finally, on January 30, Gord Johns was elected Second Vice-Chair.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair	Neil R. Ellis	
Vice-Chairs	Phil McColeman	
	Gord Johns	
Members	Bob Bratina	Emmanuella Lambropoulos
	Doug Eyolfson	Darrell Samson
	Colin Fraser	Cathay Wagantall
	Robert Kitchen	
Parliamentary Secretary (Non-Voting Member)	Sherry Romanado	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME[1]	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[3]
Operational Budget[4]	-	-	1,486	1,486
Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Among Veterans	4,237	950	747	5,933
Comparative Study of Services to Veterans in Other Jurisdictions	-	253	1,645	1,898
Barriers to Transition and Measurable Outcomes of Successful Transition	13,906	596	637	15,139
TOTAL[3]	**18,143**	**1,799**	**4,515**	**24,456**

[1] *Studies for which expenses were made are listed in chronological order.*
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TRAVEL EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

DATE OF TRAVEL STUDY NAME DESTINATIONS	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	NUMBER OF STAFF	TRANSPORTATION	ACCOMMODATION	PER DIEMS	OTHER[2]	TOTAL[1]
Comparative Study of Programs and Support Offered to Veterans and Their Families in Other Jurisdictions – Washington, D.C., United States of America May 14 to 16, 2017	7	3	11,454	11,509	3,099	1,448	27,511
TOTAL[1]	**7**	**3**	**11,454**	**11,509**	**3,099**	**1,448**	**27,511**

[1] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
[2] *"Other" (travel) includes expenditures such as audio-visual equipment, meeting rooms, excess baggage fees, passport and visa processing, conference fees and other minor miscellaneous expenses.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (ACVA)	34	2	11	-	54h55m	105	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SACV)[4]	3	-	-	-	0h56m	-	-
TOTAL	**37**	**2**	**11**	**-**	**55h51m**	**105**	**3**

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MANDATE

The Liaison Committee deliberates on administrative matters relating to the standing committee system. The main responsibility of the Liaison Committee is to apportion funds to standing committees from the money allocated for that purpose by the Board of Internal Economy.

During the period from April 1 and August 31, 2017, the Liaison Committee met twice. During the first of these two meetings, it adopted its Fourth Report, on committee activities and expenditures between April 1, 2016, and December 31, 2016, and established a new subcommittee whose mandate was to review communication activities in relation to committees. The Fifth Report of the Committee, entitled *Committee Activities and Expenditures – April 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017*, was adopted during the second meeting.

The Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI) met thrice to consider travel proposals and budgets, as well as to discuss subcommittee business.

The Subcommittee on Communications Activities in Relation to Committees (SLCO) met once to elect its Chair and to begin consideration of matters related to its mandate.

During the period from September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Liaison Committee met once. During this meeting, it adopted its Sixth Report, on committee activities and expenditures between April 1, 2017, and August 31, 2017. It also received a briefing from House of Commons officials and the Analyst of the Committee.

The Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI) met five times to consider travel proposals and budgets, as well as to discuss committee business.

The Subcommittee on Communications Activities in Relation to Committees (SLCO) met once to receive a briefing from House of Commons officials and the Analyst of the Committee in relation to the subcommittee's mandate.

During the period from January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Liaison Committee met twice. During these meetings, it adopted its Seventh Report, on committee activities and expenditures between April 1, 2017, and December 31, 2017. At the meeting in February, the committee received a briefing from the Parliamentary Budget Officer and officials from his office. At the March meeting the committee received a briefing from the Parliamentary Librarian.

The Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI) met twice to consider travel proposals and budgets, as well as to discuss committee business.

MEMBERSHIP LIAI (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Judy A. Sgro

Vice-Chair Tom Lukiwski

Members

Harold Albrecht
Hon. Larry Bagnell
Bill Casey
Julie Dabrusin
Hon. Wayne Easter
Neil R. Ellis
Hon. Mark Eyking
Pat Finnigan
Stephen Fuhr
Anthony Housefather
James Maloney
Bryan May
Hon. John McKay
Hon. MaryAnn Mihychuk
Hon. Robert D. Nault
Robert Oliphant
Hon. Denis Paradis
Dan Ruimy
Deborah Schulte
Scott Simms
Hon. Kevin Sorenson
Karen Vecchio
Bob Zimmer

MEMBERSHIP SBLI (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Judy A. Sgro

Members

Hon. Wayne Easter
Stephen Fuhr
Tom Lukiwski
Deborah Schulte
Hon. Kevin Sorenson

MEMBERSHIP SLCO (as of March 31, 2018)

Chair Hon. Judy A. Sgro

Members

Bryan May
Hon. Robert D. Nault
Dan Ruimy
Karen Vecchio
Bob Zimmer

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TOTAL[2]
Operational Budget[3]	-	-	2,236	2,236
TOTAL[2]	**-**	**-**	**2,236**	**2,236**

[1] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*
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[3] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Committee (LIAI)	5	-	-	-	2h52m	5	4
Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI)[4]	10	-	-	-	4h03m	-	-
Subcommittee on Communications Activities in Relation to Committees (SLCO)[4]	2	-	-	-	1h45m	-	-
TOTAL	**17**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**8h40m**	**5**	**4**

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STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT (BILI)

MANDATE

The Standing Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament assists the Speakers of both the Senate and the House of Commons in reviewing the effectiveness, management and operation of the Library.

The Committee did not meet during the period between April 1, 2017, and March 31, 2018.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Members representing the Senate

Hon. Michael Dennis Duffy
Hon. Nicole Eaton
Hon. Éric Forest
Hon. Thomas Johnson McInnis
Hon. Terry M. Mercer

Members representing the House of Commons

Julie Dzerowicz
Anthony Housefather
Angelo Iacono
Guy Lauzon
Michael Levitt
Robert-Falcon Ouellette
Anne Minh-Thu Quach
Bob Saroya
Gagan Sikand
Dave Van Kesteren
Chris Warkentin
Borys Wrzesnewskyj

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TOTAL[2]
Operational Budget[3]	-	-	-	-
TOTAL[2]	-	-	-	-

[1] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*
[2] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*
[3] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Joint Committee (BILI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

[1] *Number of televised meetings.*
[2] *Number of meetings using videoconferencing.*
[3] *Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.*

MANDATE

The Standing Joint Committee for the Scrutiny of Regulations reviews and scrutinizes government regulations and other statutory instruments.

From April 1 to August 31, 2017, the Joint Committee examined a number of statutory instruments and held six meetings, during which it heard from a total of four witnesses representing the Department of Employment and Social Development and the Department of Justice. It also elected the Hon. Joseph A. Day as its new Joint Chair from the Senate.

From September 1 to December 31, 2017, the Joint Committee continued examining various statutory instruments and held six meetings during which it heard from six witnesses representing the Department of Justice, the Department of Public Safety, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the University of Adelaide.

From January 1 to March 31, 2018, the Joint Committee held four meetings during which it pursued the examination of numerous statutory instruments. On March 22, the Joint Committee heard from the Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness.

MEMBERSHIP (as of March 31, 2018)

Members representing the Senate

Joint-Chair	Hon. Joseph A. Day	
Members	Hon. Michael Dennis Duffy	Hon. Betty E. Unger
	Hon. Carolyn Stewart Olsen	Hon. Yuen Pau Woo

Members representing the House of Commons

Joint-Chair	Harold Albrecht	
Vice-Chairs	Vance Badawey	
	Pierre-Luc Dusseault	
Members	Bob Benzen	John Oliver
	Nicola Di Iorio	Churence Rogers
	Kerry Diotte	Francis Scarpaleggia
	Ali Ehsassi	Bev Shipley
	Fayçal El-Khoury	

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TOTAL[2]
Operational Budget[3]	-	-	304	304
TOTAL[2]	-	-	**304**	**304**

[1] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*
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[3] *"Operational Budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.*

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS
	TOTAL	TV[1]	VC[2]	VR[3]			
Standing Joint Committee (REGS)	17	-	-	-	23h26m	11	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SREG)[4]	4	-	-	-	4h00m	-	-
TOTAL	**21**	-	-	-	**27h26m**	**11**	-

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COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES AND EXPENDITURES SUMMARY

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES[1]	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS[5]
	TOTAL	TV[2]	VC[3]	VR[4]			
Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics (ETHI)	45	12	10	-	66h07m	129	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SETH)	1	-	-	-	0h32m	-	-
Agriculture and Agri-Food (AGRI)	44	3	9	-	76h15m	190	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAGR)	3	-	-	-	2h19m	-	-
Canadian Heritage (CHPC)	49	4	7	-	84h16m	127	6
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCHP)	3	-	-	-	1h59m	-	-
Citizenship and Immigration (CIMM)	49	23	18	1	91h07m	227	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCIM)	2	-	-	-	1h18m	-	-
Environment and Sustainable Development (ENVI)	49	7	3	-	91h06m	154	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SENV)	7	-	-	-	5h28m	-	-
Finance (FINA)	67	47	4	-	171h07m	663	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFIN)	5	-	-	-	3h34m	-	-
Fisheries and Oceans (FOPO)	39	2	18	-	72h20m	162	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFOP)	1	-	-	-	1h02m	-	-
Foreign Affairs and International Development (FAAE)	38	10	10	-	67h27m	107	11
Subcommittee on International Human Rights (SDIR)	49	5	16	1	43h17m	96	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFAA)	7	-	-	-	5h08m	-	-

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018) (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEES (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES[1]	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS[5]
	TOTAL	TV[2]	VC[3]	VR[4]			
Government Operations and Estimates (OGGO)	45	8	10	-	75h46m	252	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SOGG)	4	-	-	-	2h17m	-	-
Health (HESA)	51	12	22	-	130h36m	247	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHES)	1	-	-	-	0h49m	-	-
Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities (HUMA)	46	8	12	-	80h37m	169	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHUM)	2	-	-	-	1h23m	-	-
Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN)	50	7	6	2	95h22m	248	8
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SINA)	3	-	-	-	1h37m	-	-
Industry, Science and Technology (INDU)	47	4	12	-	80h48m	138	7
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SIND)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
International Trade (CIIT)	39	19	13	1	55h01m	150	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCII)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Justice and Human Rights (JUST)	40	16	15	1	71h46m	210	7
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SJUS)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
National Defence (NDDN)	47	3	9	2	78h51m	112	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SNDD)	2	-	-	-	1h53m	-	-
Natural Resources (RNNR)	40	1	19	-	56h52m	145	4
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SRNN)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018) (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEES (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES[1]	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS[5]
	TOTAL	TV[2]	VC[3]	VR[4]			
Official Languages (LANG)	43	7	1	-	75h34m	142	5
Procedure and House Affairs (PROC)	40	5	4	3	112h15m	125	30
Subcommittee on Private Members' Business (SMEM)	8	-	-	-	0h50m	-	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPRO)	2	-	-	-	1h08m	-	-
Subcommittee on the Code of Conduct for Members of the House of Commons: Sexual Harassment (SCCC)	7	-	-	-	8h01m	8	-
Public Accounts (PACP)	42	19	-	-	73h18m	159	22
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPAC)	1	-	-	-	0h43m	-	-
Public Safety and National Security (SECU)	45	15	8	1	79h41m	228	10
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SSEC)	11	-	-	-	6h21m	-	-
Status of Women (FEWO)	40	5	20	-	62h49m	204	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFEW)	4	-	-	-	2h49m	-	-
Transport, Infrastructure and Communities (TRAN)	46	14	11	1	111h26m	334	11
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (STRA)	1	-	-	-	0h57m	-	-
Veterans Affairs (ACVA)	34	2	11	-	54h55m	105	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SACV)	3	-	-	-	0h56m	-	-
Liaison (LIAI)	5	-	-	-	2h52m	5	4
Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI)	10	-	-	-	4h03m	-	-
Subcommittee on Communications Activities in Relation to Committees (SLCO)	2	-	-	-	1h45m	-	-
TOTAL STANDING AND SUBCOMMITTEES	**1219**	**258**	**268**	**13**	**2118h40m**	**4836**	**196**

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018) (CONT'D)

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS[5]
	TOTAL	TV[2]	VC[3]	VR[4]			
Library of Parliament (BILI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scrutiny of Regulations (REGS)	17	-	-	-	23h26m	11	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SREG)	4	-	-	-	4h00m	-	-
TOTAL STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES	**21**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**27h26m**	**11**	**-**

TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES

ALL COMMITTEES	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS[5]
	TOTAL	TV[2]	VC[3]	VR[4]			
TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES	**1240**	**258**	**268**	**13**	**2146h06m**	**4847**	**196**

[1] *In practice, most committees create a subcommittee on agenda and procedure, commonly referred to as a "steering committee", to help them plan their work. The establishment of subcommittees is usually designed to relieve parliamentary committees of planning and administrative tasks, or to address important issues relating to their mandate.*

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[4] *Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.*

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SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

STANDING COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TRAVEL	TOTAL[2]
Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics (ETHI)	8,722	3,556	3,403	23,549	39,230
Agriculture and Agri-Food (AGRI)	45,298	4,816	5,842	30,097	86,053
Canadian Heritage (CHPC)	45,703	4,819	10,492	-	61,016
Citizenship and Immigration (CIMM)	59,255	12,928	9,914	-	82,097
Environment and Sustainable Development (ENVI)	15,348	1,659	7,401	55,508	79,916
Finance (FINA)	61,839	650	12,547	195,703	270,739
Fisheries and Oceans (FOPO)	23,156	9,931	1,826	146,807	181,720
Foreign Affairs and International Development (FAAE)	9,531	10,064	23,102	236,491	279,188
Government Operations and Estimates (OGGO)	9,642	5,386	10,444	-	25,473
Health (HESA)	72,812	18,257	11,361	-	102,430
Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities (HUMA)	36,309	11,736	6,984	-	55,029
Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN)	55,125	2,245	9,148	108,198	174,716
Industry, Science and Technology (INDU)	15,169	7,607	5,870	32,765	61,411
International Trade (CIIT)	20,730	6,072	6,041	283,475	316,318
Justice and Human Rights (JUST)	59,384	5,929	5,476	61,760	132,549
National Defence (NDDN)	14,458	4,630	6,461	114,001	139,550
Natural Resources (RNNR)	28,505	11,863	2,398	1,407	44,173
Official Languages (LANG)	22,421	-	5,541	85,596	113,558
Procedure and House Affairs (PROC)	2,980	4,495	11,057	-	18,532
Public Accounts (PACP)	-	-	3,324	35,894	39,218
Public Safety and National Security (SECU)	26,849	2,163	4,885	30,042	63,939
Status of Women (FEWO)	39,418	9,080	5,592	-	54,090
Transport, Infrastructure and Communities (TRAN)	55,360	7,322	15,304	-	77,986
Veterans Affairs (ACVA)	18,143	1,799	4,515	27,511	51,968
Liaison (LIAI)	-	-	2,236	-	2,236
TOTAL[2]	**746,157**	**147,008**	**191,164**	**1,468,804**	**2,553,135**

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018) (CONT'D)

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TRAVEL	TOTAL[2]
Library of Parliament (BILI)	-	-	-	-	-
Scrutiny of Regulations (REGS)	-	-	304	-	**304**
TOTAL[2]	**-**	**-**	**304**	**-**	**304**

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TRAVEL	TOTAL[2]
Electoral Reform (ERRE)[3]	-	-	-	637	**637**
TOTAL[2]	**-**	**-**	**-**	**637**	**637**

TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES

ALL COMMITTEES	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCES	OTHER[1]	TRAVEL	TOTAL[2]
GRAND TOTAL[2]	**746,157**	**147,008**	**191,468**	**1,469,441**	**2,554,076**

[1] *"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.*

[2] *Differences in totals are due to rounding.*

[3] *The Special Committee completed its mandate by presenting its Third Report to the House on December 1, 2016. However, additional travel expenses for this study were recorded during fiscal year 2017-18.*

COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES BREAKDOWN FOR ALL TYPES OF COMMITTEES
(April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018)

FIGURE 1 – COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES BREAKDOWN FOR ALL TYPES OF COMMITTEES
(in thousands of dollars)

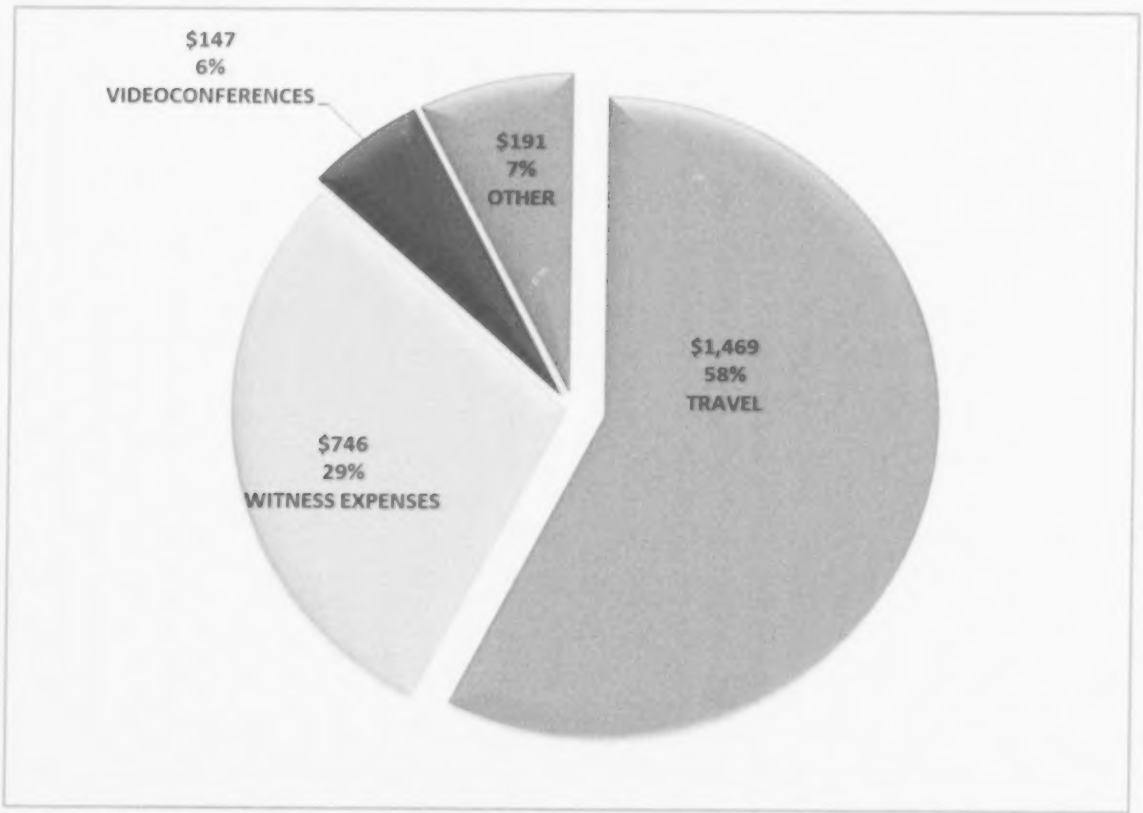

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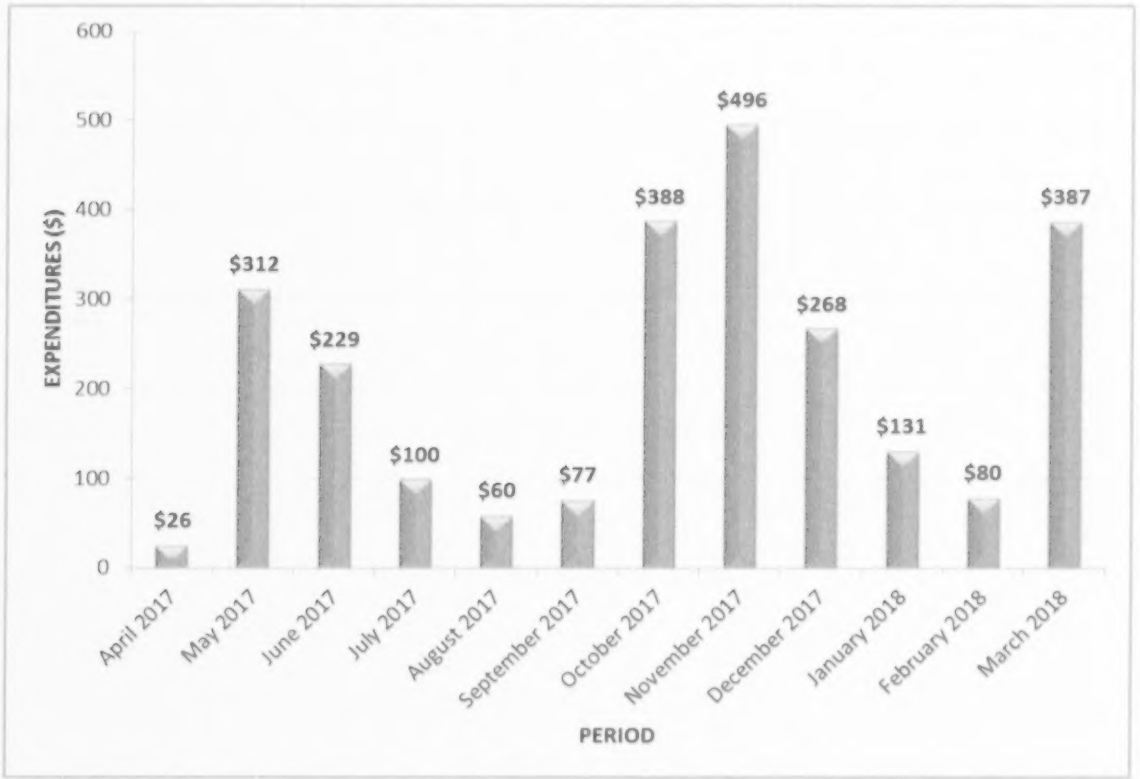
FIGURE 2 – COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES BY MONTH (in thousands of dollars)



COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

The tables below outline committee activities and expenditures over the last five fiscal years. Please note that all subcommittee expenditures have been added to the expenditures of the related standing committees.

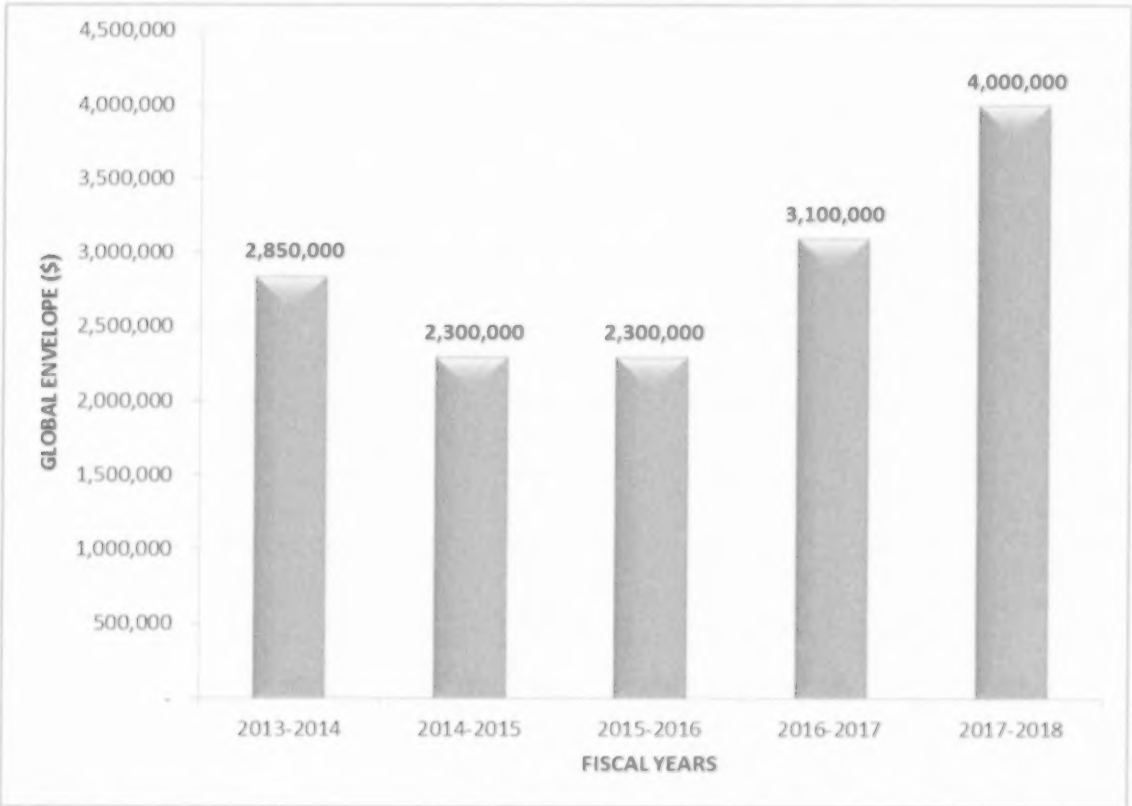
GLOBAL ENVELOPE FOR COMMITTEES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

	GLOBAL ENVELOPE ($)*				
	2013–2014	**2014–2015**	**2015–2016**	**2016–2017**	**2017–2018**
Core funding	2,600,000	2,050,000	2,050,000	3,100,000	4,000,000
E-consultation services and expert resources	250,000	250,000	250,000	-**	-**
Total	**2,850,000**	**2,300,000**	**2,300,000**	**3,100,000**	**4,000,000**

* *Excluding amounts provided for special and legislative committees, funded directly by the Board of Internal Economy.*

** *As per the February 23, 2017 decision of the Board of Internal Economy, funds for e-consultation services and expert resources were transferred to the global envelope for committees and removed as a separate category.*

FIGURE 3 – COMPARISON OF THE GLOBAL ENVELOPE FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS



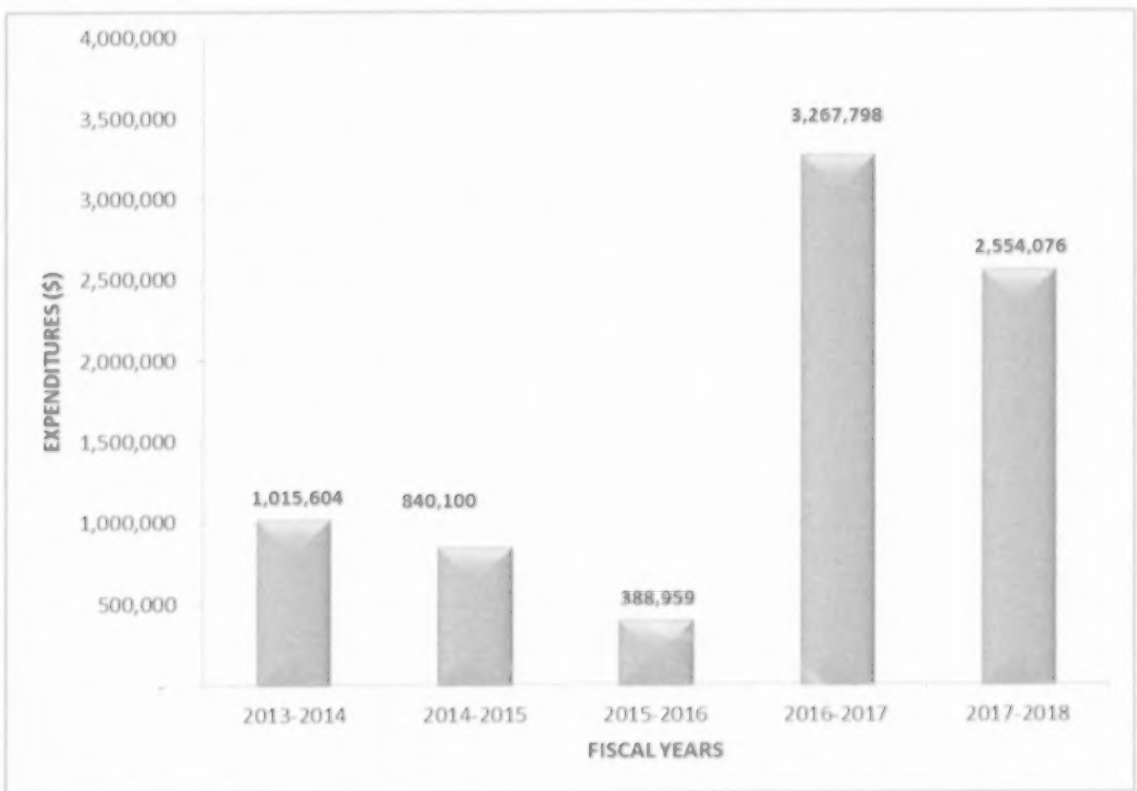
COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (CONT'D)

TYPE	EXPENDITURES ($)				
	2013–2014	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018
Standing	995,263	840,100	365,902	2 654 793	2,553,439
Legislative	-	-	-	-	-
Special	20,341	-	702	613 004	637
Special Joint	-	-	22,355	-	-
TOTAL*	1,015,604**	840,100**	388,959**	3 267 798**	2,554,076**

** Differences in totals are due to rounding.*

***Totals include expenses made by Special, Special Joint and Legislative committees with funds approved directly by the Board of Internal Economy. Expenses for Standing and Standing Joint committees are made from a separate global envelope for committee activities, managed by the Liaison Committee, which is also allocated by the Board of Internal Economy.*

FIGURE 4 – COMPARISON OF COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (ALL COMMITTEES)

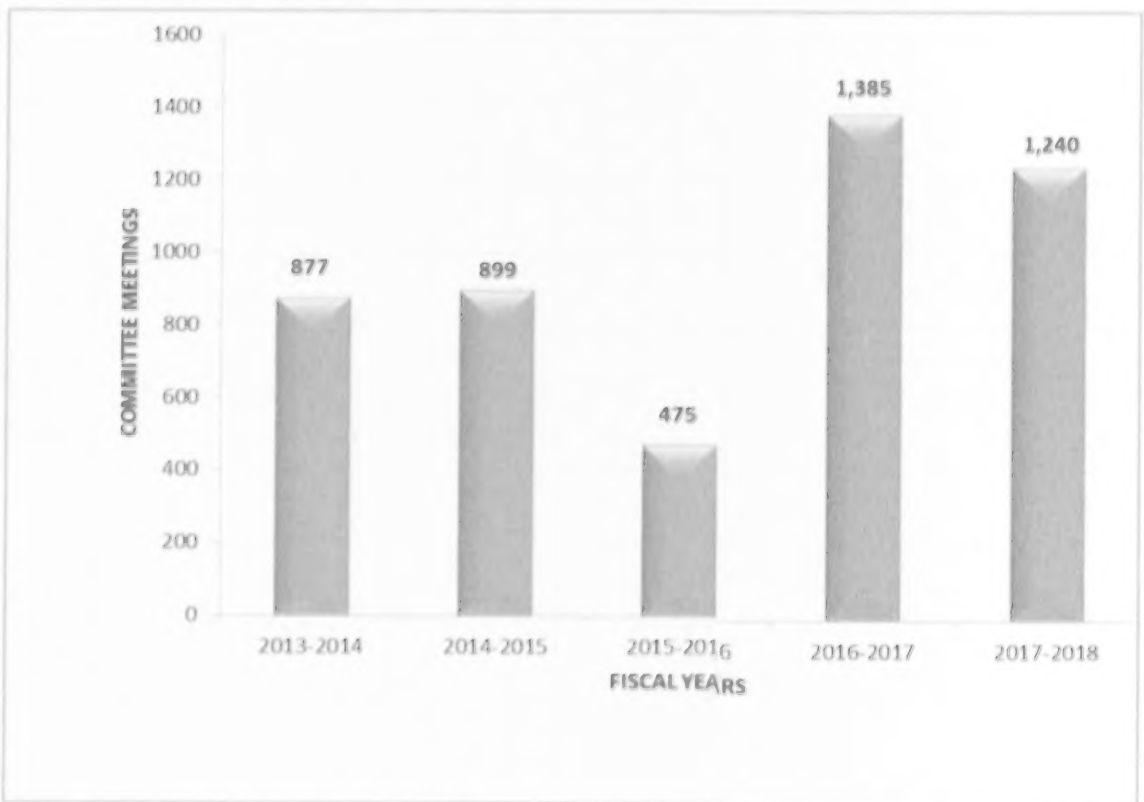


COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

TYPE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				
	2013–2014	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018
Standing	859	899	457	1,311	1,240
Legislative	-	-	-	-	-
Special	18	-	2	74	-
Special Joint	-	-	16	-	-
TOTAL	**877**	**899**	**475**	**1,385**	**1,240**

FIGURE 5 – COMPARISON OF THE NUMBER OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS OVER THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (ALL COMMITTEES)

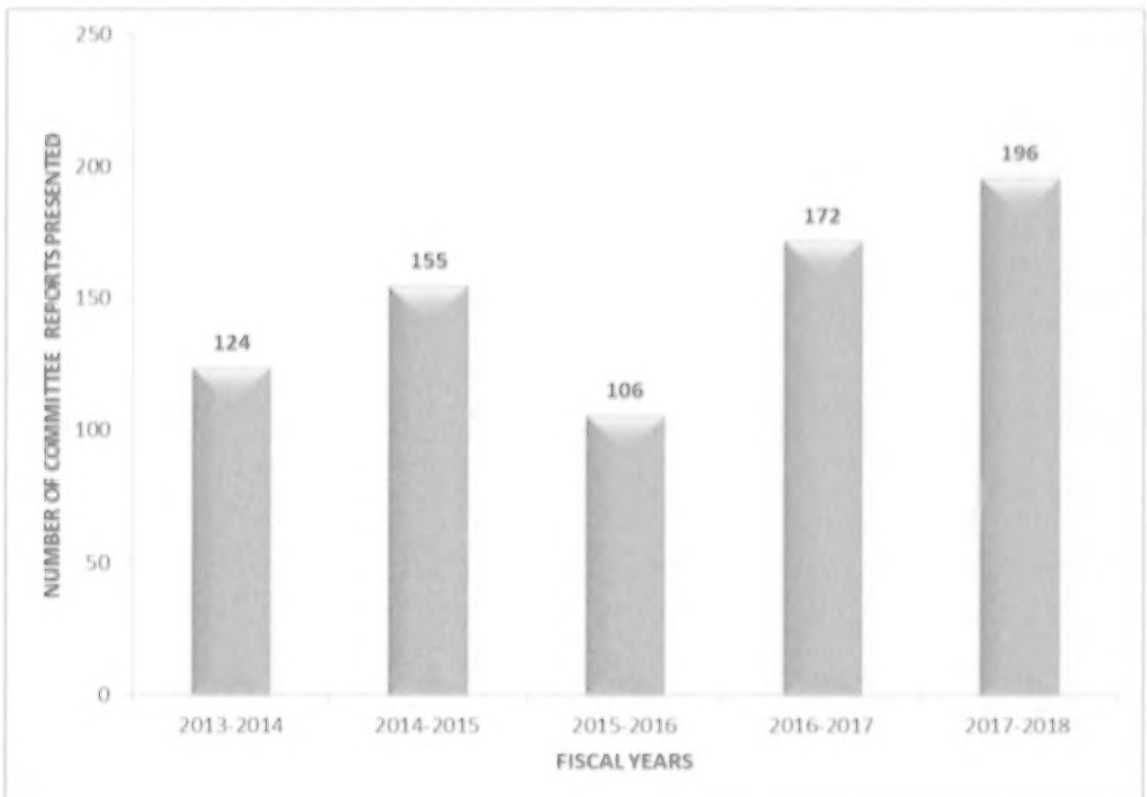


COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (CONT'D)

COMMITTEE REPORTS FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

TYPE	NUMBER OF REPORTS				
	2013–2014	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018
Standing	123	155	105	169	196
Legislative	-	-	-	-	-
Special	1	-	-	3	-
Special Joint	-	-	1	-	-
TOTAL	**124**	**155**	**106**	**172**	**196**

FIGURE 6 – COMPARISON OF THE NUMBER OF COMMITTEE REPORTS OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS

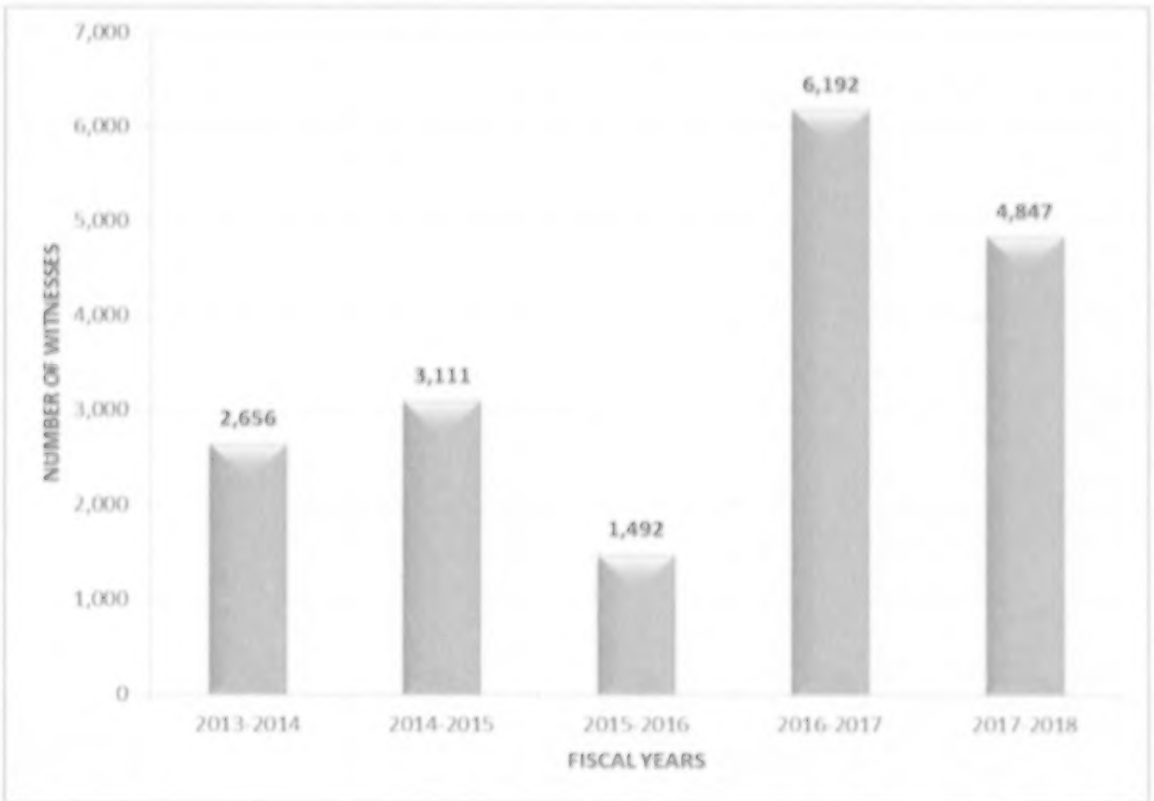


COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (CONT'D)

COMMITTEE WITNESSES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

TYPE	NUMBER OF WITNESSES				
	2013–2014	2014–2015	2015–2016	2016–2017	2017–2018
Standing	2,594	3,111	1,429	5,381	4,847
Legislative	-	-	-	-	-
Special	62	-	2	811	-
Special Joint	-	-	61	-	-
TOTAL	**2,656**	**3,111**	**1,492**	**6,192**	**4,847**

FIGURE 7 – COMPARISON OF THE NUMBER OF WITNESSES OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS



COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (CONT'D)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS BY TYPE OF ORDER OF REFERENCE FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

**The following table is for all committees. Meetings where more than one order of reference is considered are tabulated as a meeting for each type. Consequently, the total number of meetings by type may be greater than the total number of meetings held.*

REFERENCE TYPE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS BY TYPE					% OF MEETINGS BY TYPE				
	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18
House Orders of Reference	57	53	21	106	46	4.8	5.6	3	5.2	3.7
Standing Orders 108 (2), (3) & (4)	435	505	287	1,033	610	36.6	41.5	41.2	50.6	49.2
Reports and Returns	35	6	2	27	10	2.9	0.5	0.3	1.3	0.8
Estimates	61	44	53	68	37	5.1	3.5	7.6	3.3	3
Order-in-Council Appointments	3	8	3	2	6	0.3	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.5
Legislation	115	175	43	109	141	9.7	16.5	6.2	5.3	11.4
Pre-budget Consultations	9	14	11	19	17	0.8	1.7	1.6	0.9	1.4
Order Paper Written Questions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Responses to Petitions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Committee Business	408	353	223	666	352	34.3	28.9	32	32.6	28.4
Election of Chairs and Vice-Chairs	66	13	54	12	21	5.6	1.2	7.7	0.6	1.6
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL*	1,189	1,171	697	2,042	1,240	100	100	100	100	100

COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (CONT'D)

COMMITTEE REPORTS BY TYPE OF ORDER OF REFERENCE FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

REFERENCE TYPE	NUMBER OF REPORTS BY TYPE					% OF REPORTS BY TYPE				
	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18
House Orders of Reference	4	10	4	6	8	3.2	15.2	3.7	3.5	4.1
Standing Orders 108 (2), (3) & (4)	34	46	41	77	86	27.4	26.1	38.3	44.8	43.9
Reports and Returns	9	2	-	3	3	7.3	0.9	-	1.7	1.5
Estimates	27	36	35	38	39	21.8	15.8	32.7	22.1	19.9
Order-in-Council Appointments	3	8	-	-	7	2.4	4.4	-	-	3.6
Legislation	32	43	18	35	37	25.8	25.4	16.8	20.3	18.9
Pre-budget Consultations	1	1	2	1	2	0.8	0.6	1.9	0.6	1
Order Paper Written Questions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Responses to Petitions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Committee Business	3	3	2	3	4	2.4	0.9	1.9	1.7	2
Striking of Committee Membership	11	6	5	9	10	8.9	10.7	4.7	5.2	5.1
Others	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL*	**124**	**155**	**107**	**172**	**196**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**	**100**

A copy of the relevant *Minutes of Proceedings* (Meeting No. 10) is tabled.

Respectfully submitted,

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